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APPALLING IN EXTENT

Was the Forest Fire Disaster in the Northwest.

THE DEATH LIST STILL GROWING.

It Is Now Known That Three Hundred and Sixty-Four People Perished in the Flames.

SOME ARE STILL MISSING.

The Exact Number of Lost Will Pr... Never Be Known—Identification ...obably Dead in Many Cases Is an ...sion of the ...bility—The Fires Are ... Other Impossi... Number of Places ... Still Raging at a Number of Pe... And Probably a Large the Great ... People Have Perished Since Is Bei... Disaster—Everything Possible ...g Done to Relieve the Destitute P...ople Who Escaped Death.

ST. PAUL, Sept. 4.—A Pine City special to The Pioneer Press says: Words can not tell the story of death and destruction that is revealed to the traveler on the St. Paul and Duluth from Mission Creek to two miles above the little town of Miller or Sandstone Junction. The awfulness of the desolation, which strikes upon the eye of the observer as he reaches the camp which was once the town of Hinckley, is still more strongly impressed on his vision as he journeys northward.

The smoke has lifted, revealing a landscape bare and black, the few standing trees being charred to a height of 40 feet, while the ground was of that peculiar tint of brown sand mixed with gunpowder, for the grass had been burned even to the roots. Here and there, in the bleak and dreary stretches of country, in what is now a great lone land, was seen the body of a deer, whose fleet feet had not been able to outrun the flames, or of a human being who had been absolutely powerless against the grim destroyer.

A Pioneer Press man accompanied Judge Nethaway of Stillwater and the members of a relief party which started on a handcar loaded with provisions, to relieve the people of Sandstone, who were reported in great distress. Two miles above Hinckley they found lying by the trunk of a tree the body of a man which was evidently that of a lumberman. The relief party proceeded as far as Skunk Lake, where the Duluth limited train was burned. Here they found Engineer Williams in charge of a gang of men rebuilding the burned bridge. From them it was learned that the living at Sandstone had been taken to Duluth by special trains on Sunday night, and their pressing necessities relieved, so that the help from Pine City was not needed.

The party therefore resolved itself into one of search for the bodies of victims of the disaster.

The house of John Robinson was near Skunk lake, in the edge of the woods, and the family sought refuge in the cellar. There was no escape from the fire, and the parties found the bodies of John Robinson and his wife, Mary Robinson, their eldest daughter and two smaller children. All the clothing was burned from the bodies, but the victims had evidently been suffocated before the flames reached them. The hands of the oldest daughter were upraised with palms together in an attitude of prayer.

Within 600 yards of the spot where Engineer Root stopped his train was a long trench, running from the little body of water which proved a place of safety for the passengers on the limited, to a swamp on the lake. Following along this trench, the party came upon the partially clothed body of a man, who, in personal appearance, corresponded to the description of General Passenger and Freight Agent Otto Rowley of the Duluth and Winnipeg railroad. An examination of the dead man's shirt collar showed the name O. Rowley, and it supposed that he was a passenger on the limited, and in taking to the ditch expected to reach the lake.

Other bodies found by the party were those of a man and a woman who had evidently fled from a farmhouse nearby, and the bodies of two men who are supposed to have been passengers on the burned train.

The latest verified reports of the number of dead do not materially alter the former estimates.

In fact that estimate is proving remarkably exact, considering the confusion of the first day. One element that makes close figuring very difficult is the fact that bodies seen in the woods and along the track are not infrequently reported to two points and sent out from each as among its dead.

Then, too, the tendency of the occasion, bad as it is to exaggeration. However, eliminating these doubtful elements as far as possible from its approximation, The Pioneer Press is convinced that the total is as nearly exact as possible. The number of dead at Hinckley is placed at 200. The Pioneer Press correspondent has actually counted 194 of these, and the margin allowed about all that is necessary. The figures are as follows: Hinckley, 200; Sandstone, 62; Miller, 12; between Skunk Lake and Miller, 12; Pokegama, 26; in lumber camps and scattering, estimate 50. Total, 364.

Yardmaster Dave Williams of Duluth is something of a hero himself. He is the man who grasped the situation, acted on his knowledge promptly, and relieved the people of Sandstone. He received a message from Miller which said: "There are 150 people at Sandstone without food or shelter. For God's sake get them out of there." Within an incredibly short time an engine in charge of ... was on the way ... Yardmaster Williams tire road, aft... Sandstone. The one reached, ... the burned district was kept ... patrolled and the engine ... continual whistling so that ... persons who might be near the rail... could come at once to the track.

When the train arrived at Sandstone Junction, or Miller, as it is generally called, it was met by nearly the entire population of Sandstone and Miller. The depot and platform at Miller had been burned and there was not a house left standing anywhere in view. About 170 people were taken aboard and a messenger was sent to Sandstone who informed the people of the arrival of relief. Very few remained, and they were those with loved ones lying dead. No one was burned seriously who was not fatally injured. There was no attempt to care for the dead who lay scattered with irregularity through the streets of the town.

Everything inflammable at Sandstone was destroyed and investigations brought the number of dead at that place up to 62, with 21 people missing. Mr. Webster, the father of Mayor Lee Webster in this town, was among the dead, and yesterday afternoon Mr. Webster went to Sandstone to bury his father and mother. The scene at Sandstone, as described by Mr. Webster was heartrending. The streets of the town were only lines of sand between heaps of ashes. Within these lines lay 40 bodies scattered at random, and 22 more were found afterward in the outskirts of the town and along the hollows and marshes toward the river bank. The bodies were lying exposed to the sun and rain alike, and were rapidly becoming decomposed. They were identified, as far as possible, and will be buried as soon as possible.

The Duluth people are looking after the care and relief of the people on the line north of Hinckley. They are doing their work well and will see that no one of the living is allowed to suffer for food or clothing.

One of the marvelous circumstances of the occasion is the escape of so many cattle and horses. Many were absolutely unscathed, though no one can tell how they escaped the ordeal of fire. Others were pitifully burned and steps are hardily being taken to put them out of their misery.

The carcasses of the dead animals, which are becoming very offensive, will be put out of the way by burial or burning as soon as possible.

In the afternoon, following the rain, a strong wind swept up from the south and soon the flames, which had been quenched to smouldering by the morning showers, were again fanned to a blaze, and hundreds of columns of smoke began to ascend from the woods. The fire will not be out for many a day unless there are heavy rains, but there is no danger as the underbrush is burned out clean and there is no possibility of any spread. The intensity and insatiability of the fire can be seen from the fact that corduroy fills, where the logs were buried under several feet of earth, are entirely eaten out, the fire eating its way through under the entire width of road.

No one of the citizens of Pine City who volunteered their aid in the work of relief did more than F. G. Weber. He took entire charge of the work at the cemetery and kept at the hideous work until all that could be done had been accomplished. Not until nightfall were his labors over, and during that time he had a succession of relays of men under him, for many sickened and had to give it up. The work progressed slower than need have been the case had Mr. Weber's working force been adequate. As it was 65 unidentified dead were interred in the trenches; 56 more were put in boxes and 13 were buried by their friends, making a total of 134 bodies handled at the cemetery. The bodies found hereafter must be buried where found. It will be impossible to move them, as they are literally falling to pieces.

The first thought of the officials of the St. Paul and Duluth Railroad company was to care for the unfortunate people along its line who had lost everything they owned; the second was to restore the operation of through service between St. Paul and Duluth. The first task is well underway and its completion is placed in the hands of competent committees, the company at once set to work upon the herculanean task of opening its line between Mission Creek and Miller. E. L. Brown, master of transportation, and one of the most useful men who ever rose to an emergency, had been busy since the fire in handling the relief trains from St. Paul and between Pine City and Hinckley, began a systematic attempt to straighten out the crooked rails, build bridges, repair culverts and replace the burned ties, of which there were literally thousands. With a work train and an efficient crew, Mr. Brown rebuilt the burned bridge over the Grindstone river at Hinckley, put in new ties and worked the line gradually north.

In the meantime Yardmaster Williams of the Duluth yards had a work train pushing its way down toward the center of the difficulty, which was at the spot where Engineer Root stopped the Duluth limited on Saturday night. By noon the crew of Yardmaster Williams, the men who relieved the sufferers at Sandstone, had pushed down to this point and had the track in working order to the bridge which was burned. The force was a large one and in a couple of hours the bridge was built and the big engine of the limited, which had been left on the track, was pushed down to Hinckley. The tender of the limited engine was tipped off the track, as it was wrecked beyond repair, and was left to add to the general ruin. At 5:25 the two work trains met and at 6 o'clock last night the line was open from St. Paul to Duluth, the regular Duluth train passing Hinckley about 7 o'clock, somewhat behind time, but running through without mishaps.

During the afternoon at Pine City the arrangements for systematic aid was taken in hand by H. H. Hart of the board of corrections and charities.

On the afternoon train arrived the committee appointed by the citizens of Minneapolis. A report was submitted to the gentlemen for their approval. The report contains an estimate of the population of the burned towns as follows: Hinckley, 1,000; Sandstone, 300; Mission Creek, 100; Brook Park or Pokegama, 113, Partridge, 100.

From this number about 400 are to be deducted as dead and with a further deduction of those able to help themselves, leaving about 300 to be relieved in various ways. Contributions of transportation money, clothing and household utensils and lumber. The latter should be of all grades, from rough lumber to sash and doors. A general contribution will be recommended in all the churches next Sunday. No particular effort to force a large subscription, but the generosity of the people will be allowed to show itself in natural channels.

The following physicians accompanied the Minneapolis party; Doctors C. G. Higbee, Fitzgerald, Moore, McDonald, Leeport, Norton of Minneapolis and Perkins of Excelsior. Their services were in great demand, and the hospital patients received the care for which many of them were sadly suffering. It is the intention to start out searching parties in all directions to find the scattered dead, and the physicians will accompany them.

ACTIVE RELIEF MEASURES.

Contributions Called For and Where They Can Be Sent.

ST. PAUL, Sept. 4.—At a meeting in this city last night of all interested in the relief measures, it was decided to call on the governor to appoint a central committee to have general oversight of relief and the distribution of all donations from whatever source received. Anything sent to Governor Nelson to Tams Bixby or to Mayor Smith will be promptly forwarded. The St. Paul and Duluth road is running relief trains and carrying all supplies offered.

The American Express company has announced that they would carry free of charge any supplies for any reliable relief committee in northern Wisconsin and Minnesota. The railroads are getting in shape again as rapidly as possible. The St. Paul and Duluth, the Eastern Minnesota, the Omaha and the Northern Pacific spent one of the busiest days of their lives in repairing roadways, scheduling trains to meet emergencies, connecting lost wires and caring for sufferers. Even the Wisconsin Central, which is but slightly interested, has volunteered to transport provisions to all points on its line where relief is sent, free of charge.

The railroad companies have done themselves proud in the prompt and effective assistance they extended to the needy, wherever and in whatever manner it was required. The public fully appreciates their benevolence and efficiency in every instance. It is expected by Wednesday all bridges and tracks on the main lines shall have been so far repaired that no train will have to depart from schedule time.

ANOTHER TOWN THREATENED.

Rib Lake Is Expected to Be Destroyed by the Flames.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Sept. 4.—It is feared the little town of Rib Lake, in Taylor county, population 520, will be destroyed, although a fire engine and crew from Chippewa Falls have gone to fight the fire. The Rib Lake Lumber company, with mills and immense tannery, is located at that point.

The danger to Cadot is thought to be over, also to Cartwright and Rice Lake. At Long Lake, a summer resort, the cottage of the late General Ginty has been destroyed and seven other cottages threatened. At least seven railroad bridges on the north division of the Omaha between Chippewa Falls and Superior have been destroyed.

Bennett Siding in Danger.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., Sept. 4.—Fifty survivors of the fire at Partridge have been received in this city and another relief train is expected later. The sufferers were provided with everything to make them comfortable. A late report from the Omaha line says that Bennett Siding is in imminent danger of destruction. The Omaha and Northern Pacific lines are running trains, but the South Shore, St. Paul and Duluth and Eastern Minnesota are tied up on account of burned bridges.

Governor Nelson Asks For Aid.

ST. PAUL, Sept. 4.—Governor Nelson late last night issued a proclamation calling on all liberal and public spirited citizens, to all municipalities and to all religious and benevolent institutions of this state to take immediate attention toward securing contributions for the relief of the prevailing distress.

Governor Peck Orders Relief.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 4.—Governor Peck last night instructed Colonel W. J. Boyle to purchase food and clothing for fire sufferers in Barron county. The Cumberland officials made an appeal to the governor, stating that over 50 families were sleeping out of doors.

DENSE SMOKE OVER THE LAKES.

Navigation Greatly Interfered With and Several Wrecks Reported.

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—Smoke from forest fires is now making navigation dangerous on all the great lakes, except Lake Ontario. From Duluth to Buffalo reports are received of smoke so thick that one could not see on the lake more than a hundred feet. Along the south shore of Lake Superior captains could not discern objects 100 yards away. At Sault Ste. Marie all boats were being seriously delayed, captains preferring to go slow rather than take the chances of fetching up on the rocks and reefs.

Reports of stranding came in to the underwriters with too great rapidity to be enjoyable. The fires have destroyed to some extent telegraphic communication with the dangerous shore near the straits, and it is feared that more wrecks have occurred than have been reported. The losses to lake vessels on account of the smoke already exceed $40,000.

East Tawas, Mich., reports the passenger steamer Ossifrage ashore between here and Alabaster. Its passengers are safe, and will be brought ashore by the tugs if necessary.

FIRES IN PENNSYLVANIA.

Great Destruction Done and the Oil Fields Threatened.

BRADFORD, Pa., Sept. 4.—Forest fires are raging all along the line of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg railroad. Reports from all points on the narrow gauge roads state that the woods are on fire for miles, and the damage will be heavy unless rain should fall. The woods along the pike to Corydon are on fire for miles, and oil property in the vicinity of the west branch are threatened. Should the fire spread to the oil field serious consequences would result.

The woods along the Bradford, Bordell and Kinzua railroad between here and Smethport are reported on fire and valuable property is in danger of being destroyed. On the big level between Mount Jewett and this city and the head of the west branch the woods are ablaze, and several oil well rigs are reported burning. At Song Bird and the Quintuple the woods are a roaring mass of flames, and valuable oil property is being devoured by the flames. As yet no loss of life is reported and the extent of damage can not be estimated.

A report has just reached here from Lewis' Run, stating that the woods are ablaze and the people fighting the fire to save their property.

In the Eastern Lumber Region.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 4.—Forest fires are reported as burning fiercely in the Pine creek lumber region and valuable property is in great danger there. Owners of mills and lumber in that neighborhood who reside here have been notified that there is imminent danger of serious losses and have been advised to come on without loss of time. Cummings & Heilman's bark and lumberyards have been threatened, but by backfiring, it has thus far escaped destruction.

The fire has been burning in the Babbs Creek district since Saturday, and yesterday it climbed over the mountain, and for a time it looked as if the town of Balltown, in Forest county, would be destroyed. This was also saved by hard work, and it is now said to be out of danger. At other points the woods have been backfired for a distance of six miles, in order to save property. Forest fires are also reported from Potter county.

Oil Wells Burning.

RUSSELL CITY, Pa., Sept. 4.—Word has just been received here to the effect that the forest fires have reached the Watson farm in Forest county and several oil wells are now burning. The loss will be heavy, as there are a large number of wells on this farm, and it is feared the fire will spread to adjoining oil property. There are no indications of rain, and should the wind rise it would sweep the entire field.

The woods are on fire on both sides of this place and the fire extends over an area of 20 miles.

ASKING FOR BETTER WAGES.

Thousands of Tailors and Garment Workers Out on a Strike.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—A general meeting of the Brotherhood of Tailors and Garment Workers of America was held yesterday afternoon at new Irving hall on Broome street, fully 5,000 being present. Addresses were made by C. F. Reichers, secretary of the United Garment workers of America, Meyer Schoenfeld, Henry White, Herman Robertson and Abram Harrison. All the speakers inveighed bitterly against the present wage system.

"It is not a question of money alone," said Mr. Harrison, "We are being worried and ground to death. We are already working for nothing, and if we don't assert ourselves we will starve." The following resolutions were adopted. "We ask for the abolition of the task system for 10 hours' work a day and that the shops be put in proper condition. We demand that the public and press give us their sympathy, because we want to work like men and not like slaves, and we believe that our demands are just."

Probably 8,000 garment makers already have quit work in New York and Brooklyn. Before the week is out it is estimated that there will be from 25,000 to 30,000 people out of work, either as strikers or because of the strike.

The movement is not confined to New York and Brooklyn. In Philadelphia, Boston and other large cities the people have either quit work or have decided to quit in the event of a failure to get better wages, by some near at hand date. It bids fair to be a general strike on the part of the sweatshop workers.

Waterspout Causes a Drowning Accident.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Sept. 4.—A waterspout coming up suddenly last evening swelled Skeleton creek out of its banks, flooding the surrounding country for quite a distance. While endeavoring to cross the stream at a point near here in a buggy the occupants, Mrs. Jack Morris Peck, her two children and Miss Mabel Hill, were thrown into the water and drowned. The bodies of the unfortunates have not yet been recovered.

Died From Eating Custard.

JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 4.—W. W. Moore died yesterday at Madison, Miss., from eating boiled custard served at a wedding near Fannin, Rankin county, last Wednesday. Numerous people ate of the custard and several are reported having died. Three children have died in Rankin county and a brother of Moore is reported ill with little prospect of recovery. All who ate of the custard were taken violently ill.

Colored Woman Shot At.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Sept. 4.—Lulu Pettite, a colored woman, was shot at by Frank Orr. The woman was sitting in a chair in her house when Orr shot through the window at her. The reason assigned is jealousy. The bullet barely missed her head and buried itself in the wall.

Doings of a Gang of Toughs.

COLUMBIA CITY, Ind., Sept. 4.—A gang of six drunken toughs assaulted Conductor E. D. McGreeney of a through freight, seriously injuring him, and stole the coupling pins, separating the train in 20 places and left it stranded for two hours.

Slowly Strangling to Death.

ALLIANCE, O., Sept. 4.—Miss Nannie Zeppernick of New Alexander is slowly strangling to death from a grain of corn getting in her windpipe while she was eating roasted ears. The doctors are unable to relieve her.

No Longer Manager of the Pittsburgs.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 4.—A. C. Buckenburger, who has had charge of the Pittsburg base ball team for three years, was relieved from duty yesterday and Connie Mack, the catcher, appointed manager.

Fell From a Window.

PETERSBURG, Ind., Sept. 4.—Joseph Lienhart, a brewer at Tell City, in pushing open the window shutter, fell from the third-story and was instantly killed.

SKIRMISHING DAILY.

Collisions Between Japanese and Chinese.

NO SERIOUS RESULTS OCCUR.

They Are Magnified Into Battles and Both Sides Claim Victories—China Increasing Her Coast Defense—Chinese Officers Rewarded For Their Bravery—Movement of War Vessels of Both Governments.

LONDON, Sept. 4.—The Central News has received a dispatch from Shanghai stating that skirmishes between Chinese and Japanese troops are occurring at several points in Corea. The importance of these collisions is being greatly magnified by both sides, who dignify them with the title of battles. In every case victory is claimed by each side.

The same dispatch states that five war steamers will convey the troops which are to be dispatched to Formosa at once. This precaution is taken through fear that the transports will be attacked by Japanese warships which are hovering about in the hope of destroying Chinese troopships. The work of extending the Chinese works on the coast is being pushed with all possible haste.

Movements of War Vessels.

LONDON, Sept. 4.—A dispatch to The Times from Chee-Foo says the Japanese fleet is assembled in Dautilus harbor, in southern Corea. The entrance is guarded by torpedoes. The Chinese fleet is moving between the gulf ports. The hostile armies in the vicinity of Ping-Yang are apparently quiescent.

Rewarded For Their Bravery.

LONDON, Sept. 4.—A dispatch from Tien-Tsin of current date says an imperial decree has been issued rewarding General Yeh and 700 other Chinese officers for their victory over the Japanese troops at Ping-Yang.

SUSPECTED OF DOUBLE MURDER.

An Iowa Tragedy Which Is Now Surrounded in Mystery.

DECORAH, Ia., Sept. 4.—John H. Cater is now in jail here strongly suspected of the murder of his wife, Mary Cater, and George Wemett, at Burrak, a village 12 miles north of Decorah. The body of Mrs. Cater was found Sunday in the barn under a pile of hay, her throat cut in two places.

When the coroner arrived he was informed that he was also wanted at the schoolhouse some distance away, where a man had been found dead with a bullethole back of one of his ears and a revolver lying on his body. The man was George Wemett, who had until recently been employed in Cater's butchershop. Cater has for some time past been keeping company with a Mrs. Hoth. This was known to Mrs. Cater, who naturally resented it. Wemett was on quite friendly terms with her and was paying some attention to her oldest daughter.

Around the schoolhouse were found foot tracks, which, when compared with the shoes worn by the murdered man and by Cater were found to be identical in each case. Cater claims to think that Wemett killed his wife and then committed suicide.

ELECTION IN ARKANSAS.

The Entire Democratic Ticket Elected by From 15,000 to 20,000 Majority.

LITTLE ROCK, Sept. 4.—The election in this state was very quiet. It was the first state election held under the constitutional amendment adopted at the last state election, requiring the presentation of a poll tax receipt at the polls. The Democrats and Populists had full state tickets in the field, but the Republicans put forth only a gubernatorial nominee.

In some counties the Populists and Republicans fused, but in this (Pulaski) county the Republicans voted with the Democrats. The colored vote throughout the entire state was unusually light. The Democratic state ticket, headed by Hon. James P. Clark, has been elected by about 15,000 to 20,000 majority.

CAR BURGLARS DISCOVERED.

Several Arrests Made, and Wagonloads of Plunder Found.

BUFFALO, Sept. 4.—The largest and most dangerous gang of car burglars ever detected in Buffalo has just been unearthed and several arrests have been made. Mrs. Hurter, known as queen of the gang, and a man named Christopher, were first arrested and confessed, giving the names of their neighbors as confederates.

Their houses and four others on the same street were searched and wagonloads of plunder found. The entire block was living off the railroads, the woman said. The men are, or have been, New York Central switchmen. Their houses were fitted out like palaces and they had more coal than they could burn.

Unique Voyage Begun.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 4.—Two well known young men, sons of prominent citizens, Frank Beach and ... Hundley, left this city yesterday on a unique voyage. The young men had constructed a raft on which was built a cabin. The craft will be propelled entirely by the current. Their destination is New Orleans, and the trip is the result of a bet of $1,000 that they could not reach that city by the river route without the aid of steam, sails or oars.

All the Result of a Kiss.

NEWSITE, Ala., Sept. 4.—While at work yesterday Robert Cross was seized by Bob Ashley and the latter's father fired six bullets into his body, causing instant death. The assassins then kicked the dead man and walked off while the terrified spectators gazed on in silence. A posse is in pursuit. The cause of the murder was that Cross was seen kissing Ashley's pretty daughter at church.

Populists in Delaware.

WILMINGTON, Del., Sept. 4.—The Delaware Populists, in state convention here yesterday, nominated Alexander Fulton, a lawyer of Dover, for governor. Charles Beadenkoff, a morocco manufacturer of this city, was selected as the candidate for congressman.

Declined the Nomination.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Sept. 4.—Congressman A. Caminetti, who was recently renominated by the Democrats of this district, declines to accept the nomination. A second convention will be called.

TO ENTERTAIN THE VETERANS.

Pittsburg Comrades Arrange a Program For the G. A. R. Encampment.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 4.—The program for the G. A. R. encampment is as follows:

On Monday, the 10th inst., the Naval Veterans' association will have a parade, with the Sons of Veterans guard as escort, 5,000 men being in line. In the evening the Naval Veterans will have a "dog watch" at old city hall.

Tuesday, the 11th, at 10:30 a. m., the G. A. R. will have its grand parade, with 40,000 veterans and 200 bands and drum corps in line. In the evening there will be seven grand campfires, presided over by soldiers of national fame, and addressed by some of the foremost men in the country.

Wednesday, 12th, the National Association of Union ex-Prisoners of war will parade, escorted by two regiments and a battery of the national guard of Pennsylvania. The same organization will have a camfire that evening, and there will also be at East Pittsburg a grand "outing," for which 5,000 invitations have been issued, and which will be the biggest event of the kind ever known in western Pennsylvania.

Thursday evening, the 13th, there will be a magnificent display of fireworks on the Monongahela river, and the women's organizations will have a grand reception.

Friday, the 14th, the delegates and their ladies will be treated to a river excursion, for which a fleet of three steamers, with a capacity of 8,000 persons, has been engaged.

Meanwhile there will be the national conventions of the Grand Army of the Republic, Woman's Relief Corps, Ladies of the G. A. R., Daughters of Veterans, Naval Veterans' association, National Association of Union ex-Prisoners of War, National Association of War Musicians, Signal Corps association, Chaplains' association, etc., and reunions of army associations to the number of one hundred, and a variety of minor meetings and attractions.

Made a Clean Sweep.

KEWANEE, Ind., Sept. 4.—Fire originated in some manner in Crump's livery barn, entirely destroying the barn, owned by Baley & Sears, and the contents, including 10 horses and buggies. Ellerson's storehouse, with $5,000 in storage, was wholly burned. Norris' wagon factory and five adjoining buildings were licked up by the flames. The entire loss is $18,000, with an insurance on the barn and storage house of $4,000 each. The other parties had no insurance. This heavy loss is due to the fact that the town has no fire engine.

Battle With Outlaws.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Sept. 4.—News is just received here that a band of outlaws raided the Indian settlement of St. Stearns, in the western part of the territory, killed one Indian and looted the stores. Deputy United States marshal and posse gave chase and had a battle with the outlaws, during which one on each side was wounded. The outlaws escaped a second time, and are now being followed by a stronger posse than the first one.

Half Block of Buildings Burned.

ANGELS CAMP, Cal., Sept. 4.—A fire, that had its origin in the Stockton House, and is supposed to have been kindled by an incendiary Monday night, destroyed over a half block of buildings in the business part of the town. The loss is $40,000; insurance, $15,500. A man and woman are thought to have perished in the flames.

Made a Dummy and Dug Out.

CAMBRIDGE, O., Sept. 4.—John Rock of Bellaire, one of the prisoners confined in the county jail for breaking into a Baltimore and Ohio car, made his escape by digging through the wall, after making a dummy of his bedclothes in his cell. There were five other prisoners in the jail at the time.

Attempted to Take His Life.

ROME, Sept. 4.—Eugene Zozzi, formerly American consul here, made an attempt to kill himself Sunday in the Mall of the Pincio, a fashionable evening resort, but was prevented by the police. It is believed that the attempt was prompted by financial troubles.

Indications.

Generally fair weather, with probable showers on the lake; south winds; slightly cooler.

Base Ball.

MORNING GAMES.

AT NEW YORK— R H E
New York.......0 3 7 0 0 1 3 0 2—16 16 1
Cincinnati ......1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0— 2 5 4
Batteries—Clark, Meekin and Farrell; Fournier and Merritt. Umpire—McQuade.

AT BOSTON— R H E
Boston..........0 1 0 1 0 0 1 1 1— 5 10 4
Chicago.........0 0 0 0 1 0 2 0 1— 4 12 4
Batteries—Staley and Ganzel; Griffith and Schriver. Umpire—Hurst.

AT BALTIMORE— R H E
Baltimore ......2 0 5 0 1 3 2 0 x—13 19 0
Cleveland ......0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0— 2 5 0
Batteries—Esper and Robinson; Sullivan and O'Connor. Umpire—Keefe.

AT BROOKLYN— R H E
Brooklyn ....2 1 1 0 1 0 0 1 x— 6 7 4
Louisville.......0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 2— 4 6 6
Batteries—Lucid and Dailey; Knell and Zahner. Umpire—Lynch.

AT PHILADELPHIA— R H E
Philadelphia....1 0 4 0 0 3 0 0 0— 8 13 0
St. Louis ......0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0— 1 3 2
Batteries — Weyhing and Clements; Breitenstein and Twineham and Miller. Umpire—Betts.

AFTERNOON GAMES.

AT PITTSBURG— R H E
Pittsburg........1 3 0 2 2 4 3 7 0—22 19 0
Washington .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0— 1 6 6
Batteries—Gumbert and Sugden; Stockdale, Maul and McGuire. Umpire—Emslie.

AT BOSTON— R H E
Boston..........1 0 0 1 1 1 2 5 x—11 12 1
Chicago.........0 0 1 0 0 1 0 2 0— 4 8 4
Batteries—Nichols and Ganzel; Hutchinson and Schriver. Umpire—Hurst.

AT PHILADELPHIA— R H E
Philadelphia....0 0 0 3 0 0 0 3 0— 6 13 6
St. Louis.......0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 2— 4 7 1
Batteries—Jones and Grady; Hawley and Twineham. Umpire—Betts.

AT BALTIMORE— R H E
Baltimore ....0 1 4 5 2 4—16 22 3
Cleveland.............2 0 0 0 1 0— 3 4 5
Batteries—Hawke and Robinson; Young and Zimmer. Umpire—Keefe.

AT NEW YORK— R H E
New York.......2 2 0 1 1 0 0 0 x— 6 8 3
Cincinnati ......2 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0— 4 8 2
Batteries — Rusie and Farrell; Dwyer and Merritt. Umpire—McQuade.

AT BROOKLYN— R H E
Brooklyn ....1 3 0 0 3 0 0 2— 9 13 4
Louisville.......0 0 0 1 1 0 0 1— 3 7 2
Batteries—Daub and Kinslow; Inks and Zahner. Umpire—Lynch.

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CLEOPATRA'S NEEDLE.

Getting the Obelisk Aboard Ship a Pretty Piece of Engineering.

"One of the pleasantest recollections I have to look back on," said Adam Johnson, "is the fact that I was one of the party that helped to run up the American colors over Cleopatra's needle when it was being taken down to be carried to New York. Our vessel was out in the Mediterranean with a roving commission, and we were at Alexandria at the time the obelisk was being moved. The big stone had been presented by the Egyptian government to this country, but the people were wild about having it moved. We had to place a guard around the men who were working on the shaft, and even then there was almost a riot.

"But that was one of the prettiest pieces of engineering work I have ever seen. The engineers who were moving our shaft had a couple of big wooden cases built that fitted around the needle like the pieces of wood around the lead in a pencil. There were a couple of projectiles on each side of the casings just on the center of gravity in the shaft, like the trunnions on a cannon. Under these they put lifting jacks and just picked that immense stone off its pedestal, swung it around horizontal and then lowered it as gently as could be on a long sliding way, with cannon balls under it for rollers. They had a square hole cut in the stern of the steamship and slid it into the hull through that and replaced the sheathing outside.

"Under the shaft in the inside of the pedestal there were a lot of bronze toads and ornaments and the Lord knows what not that the Masons claimed were placed there by some of their progenitors eons ago. I don't know anything about that, though, and you can leave it or take it, as you choose.

"The British were not half so slick with the obelisk they carried over to England. They cased it up in a big sheet iron arrangement like a boiler, riveted it in and floated the whole thing off through a trench dug in the sand down to the water. Then they rigged jury sails on it and towed it over to England, but they lost three or four men off it before they got it in port and had all sorts of a time generally.

"A couple of years afterward I saw the British obelisk set up on the east bank of the Thames, and when I came home the first thing I went to see was ours in Central park."—Washington Post.

LIGHTNINGLIKE BIRDS.

Flights, Darts and Drops Wonderful In Their Accuracy and Swiftness.

I have often wondered at the ease with which a great big hen hawk drops from on high, like a falling shot, hitting so accurately its quarry on the ground, for at the moment of beginning its descent it closes its wings almost tight against its sides and goes as true as a plumb line. Before it reaches the ground its speed becomes so rapid that you hear the air fairly shriek through its feathers, and the heavy thud of the blow at the last is of deadly suggestion. I have seen a full grown hare snatched up into the air limp and dead after such a performance and borne away dangling in a grip of fate.

An expert trapeze man does many wonderful things, but his extremest cleverness cannot equal that of a hawk which I saw dart under a flying kingfisher, turn back downward and catch the bird in the breast.

Hawks, however, are not more expert than kingfishers themselves. The belted halcyon makes an unerring missile of himself when he sees a minnow shining in a pool of the brook, and from 50 feet distance goes, like a blue flash, to the silvery point. Chuck! Up leap a thousand shining drops and fall around like rain, while that animated and winged fish spear comes forth from its plunge with the minnow safely held. Well may Halcyon giggle a raucous, clattering strain of joy. He has done what no man of us can learn to do.

The drowsy looking little pewee flycatcher of our woods does almost impossible feats of agility in taking on the wing some species of dancing insects. I have seen one of these birds turn three or four complete somersaults in the air before finally he caught his gnat, which, like Galatea in the idyl, skipped hither and you and up and down after the manner of a harl of dry thistle down. A kinsman of the pewee, the tyrant flycatcher, shows how a light and plucky tilter in the fields of air can outdo his most savage foe, by dint of superior cleverness, at lofty tumbling. Many a time have I seen him bobbing up and down above a worried and disheveled hawk so high in the air that he looked like a bee harassing the wide winged thing, mounting and hurrying through the hyacinth spaces of a summer sky.

Our black capped titmouse is inimitable as a trapeze performer when he gets good hold of a twig's end. He can swing head downward, sidewise, curved till beak and tail touch, swing by one foot, and the wind may blow as hard as it can, he never loses his grip. No wonder Emerson loved him for his pluck and nerve. Some years ago it created a stir in old London when an athlete climbed to a temple's arch and hung head downward from a beam, but what is a feat like that when compared with what you may see any June morning when a titmouse hangs by one claw to the topmost leaf of some tall forest tree and the wind blowing boisterously?

Have you never seen two cock blue jays fighting in midair? There is a joust of brilliance. They whirl over and over so fast that they look like a blur of amethyst smoke, shot with gleams of white fire, and how their wings clash and their bills clack!

The mocking bird, greatest of all the wildwood singers, has his own way of showing off his athletic nimbleness and grace. He somersaults backward in the midst of a staccato strain and never loses a note. Let some tenor try it in the opera one of these fine evenings.—Maurice Thompson in Independent.

Chinese Coins.

The inscription on Chinese coins, like those on their tapestries, porcelains and other artistic productions, are always quaint, curious and characteristic. A gold coin issued by the Chinese government during the reign of Wu Tsung had upon its face the inscription, "True virtue, current money." A bronze piece issued during the seventeenth century by Chwang Leih Ti bears the words, "Highest purity, currency money." The coin issued by Tsung from 1851 to 1862 bore the words, "Prevailing prosperity," the larger also, "Large money," and on the reverse, "Value one hundred times," meaning that their value was 100 cash. A bronze piece issued during the same period bears the words, "Always bright."

Another piece of the same reign has upon his face, "Prevailing prosperity, heavy money." The brass cash of the present emperor of China bears the words, "Bright beginning, current money," and on the reverse, "Treasury weight, one mace," and the name of the mint at which it was coined. The Korean coinage, which resembles the Chinese cash in many particulars in its inscription, bears the inscription, "Always peaceful, current money," and on the reverse, "All four," which means that the coin should be good in all four directions of the country.

Another set of coins issued at the mint in Seoul, Korea, is inscribed, "Great East," one of the names given to Korea, as the great country east of China. Another word or character upon the coin indicates "gate," which probably means that the coin is to go out for circulation among the people. Still another coin bears the words, "Great gate, value of one hundred."—Hamilton (Ont.) Times.

Saturated Solution.

A substance is said to undergo solution when the force of adhesion between it and a liquid in which it is immersed is sufficient to overcome the force of cohesion between the solid particles. The liquid which affects the solution is termed the solvent. If solid bodies be introduced in successive small portions into a definite quantity of liquid capable of dissolving it, the first portions disappear most quickly, and each portion dissolves more slowly till the liquid ceases to possess any solvent power. When this occurs, the solution is said to be saturated, the powers of cohesion being balanced. But saturation may exist with regard to one body and not to another. Thus water saturated with common salt will still dissolve sulphate of soda, and vice versa. So also a saturated solution of common salt will dissolve sugar.

The saturating power of bodies is in many cases greatly influenced by heat, while in others variations of temperature produce but little effect. Thus cold water will take up nearly as much common salt as hot water, but sulphate of soda is more soluble in hot water than in cold, and hence it is that a saturated hot solution of this and many other salts deposits crystals on cooling. Under certain conditions a saturated solution may be cooled down without any of the dissolved solid separating from it. The solution would then contain more of the solid than it would contain at that particular temperature under ordinary conditions. Such a solution is said to be supersaturated.—Brooklyn Eagle.

It Cures Cancer.

Some years ago the state department at Washington received through the minister of Ecuador to the United States specimens of a plant known as cundurango, found in the province of Loya, in Ecuador, to which marvelous qualities in curing cancer were ascribed. The physicians in South America experimented on this substance and reported most wonderful cures. Its virtues are said to have been discovered by accident. An Indian had been suffering fearfully for a long time from internal cancer, and his wife undertook to relieve him by shortening his life by poison. For this purpose she selected the cundurango, making a decoction of the bark. To her astonishment the first dose appeared to benefit the patient, and by the continuance of this remedy he was completely cured in a short time.—New York Advert...

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DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

HEADQUARTERS DEMOCRATIC STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE, COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 15th, 1894.

The Democrats of Ohio are requested to meet in delegate convention in the city of Columbus, Ohio, on Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 18th and 19th, 1894, to place in nomination candidates for the following offices, namely:
Secretary of State.
Judge of Supreme Court.
State School Commissioner.
Member Board of Public Works.
The basis of representation to said convention is, one delegate for each 500 or each fraction of 250 or over of the number of votes cast for Grover Cleveland for President in 1892. All the delegates to the State Convention shall be individually selected by the several counties and reported to the Committee on Credentials, as mass delegations will not be recognized.
The Democrats of each and every county are requested to select their local committee and report the same to the Chairman of the State Central Committee on or before Sept. 1st. This report should include the names and P. O. address of the chairman and Secretary of the Executive or Campaign Committee for the ensuing year.
By order of the Democratic State Central Committee.
C. D. CRITES, Chairman.
W. T. WEAR, Secretary.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

HEADQUARTERS ALLEN COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CENTRAL COMMITTEE, LIMA, O., Aug. 25th, 1894.

The Democrats of Allen county, Ohio, are requested to meet in convention at the court house, in Lima, Ohio, September 15th, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing 10 delegates to represent Allen county, Ohio, at the State Convention to be held in Columbus, Ohio, September 8th and 19th, 1894.
The county delegates elected previous to the county primary election of this year are the proper delegates to represent their respective townships, wards and precincts at this convention.
All Democrats of the county are earnestly requested to attend.
By order of the Allen County Democratic Central Committee.
A. S. GRAHAM, Chairman.
HARRY RILEY, Sec'y.

By the adoption of the Senate bill the people of the United States have been saved more than $141,000,000 on the wool and woolen schedule alone, over the provisions of the infamous McKinley act. The following statement prepared by the appraiser of the port of New York, shows the items on which this saving was effected:

English cloth made in Leeds, imported into the port of New York, wool and cotton warp, 60 inches wide, weighing 11½ ounces per yard: Cost per yard is 1s 3d less 5 and 5 per cent. discount, 27 cents net per yard: McKinley duty (38½ cents per pound x 40 per cent. per yard), 39.80 cents; Senate duty (40 per cent. per yard) 10.80 cents; saved to the consumer under the senate bill, 29.00 cents per yard.

English cloth, wool and cotton warp, imported into the port of New York, 54 inches wide, weight 13 ounces per yard; cost per yard 1s. 2½d., less 7 per cent., 27 cents net per yard: McKinley duty (38½ cents per pound x 40 per cent per yard), 42.00 cents; Senate duty (40 per cent per yard), 10.40 cents; saved to consumer under the senate bill, 31.60 cents per yard.

English overcoatings, wool and cotton warp, imported into the port of New York, 50 inches wide, weight 26 ounces per yard; price 1s. 9d. net per yard, 42 cents net per yard; McKinley duty (33 cents per pound x 40 per cent. per yard), 70.45 cents; Senate duty (40 per cent. per yard), 16.80 cents; saved to consumer under the senate bill, 53.65 cents per yard.

Worsted coating, Bradford, England, imported into the port of New York, 57 inches wide, weight 20 ounces; cost 2s. 9d. per yard, less 7 per cent., 62½ cents per yard: McKinley duty (44 cents per pound x 50 per cent. per yard) 86½ cents; Senate duty (50 per cent. per yard), 31¼ cents; saved to consumer under the senate bill, 55 cents per yard.

French cashmere, imported into the port of New York, 45 inches wide; cost 0.95 francs per meter net, 18 cents per yard: McKinley duty, (12 cents per square yard x 50 per cent. per yard), .24 cents; Senate duty (50 per cent. per yard), .09 cents; saved to consumer under the senate bill, .15 cents per yard.

French dress goods, challies, all wool, imported into the port of New York, 30 inches wide, weight 2¼ ounces per yard; cost per yard, 20½ cents net: McKinley duty (12 cents per square yard x 50 per cent. per yard), .20 cents; Senate duty (50 per cent. per yard), .10; saved to consumer under the senate bill, .10 cents per yard.

The following balance sheet compiled from the records of the port of New York will show the amount saved to the consumer by the adoption of the Senate bill in place of the McKinley act:

In 1892-'93 the imports of manufacturers of wool were $36,993,000; the duties were $26,448,000; import value, duty paid $73,441,000. In 1889-'90, census year, domestic manufactures were woolen goods, $133,577,000; worsted goods, $79,194,000; hosiery and knit goods $67,241,000; deduct cotton hosiery, $17,000,000; carpets, $47,770,000; value of domestic manufactures, $384,223,000; add 33⅓ per cent. to cover wholesale and retail profits, $128,074,000; cost of wool to consumers, $512,297,000.

Cost of wool manufactures under Senate bill on same amounts: Importations, $36,993,000; duty, 45 per cent., $16,665,000; value of domestic manufactures, $310,050,000, reduced from an average of 100 per cent. duty to 45 per cent. rate as a result of free wool $224,525,000; add 33⅓ per cent profits, $92,728,000.

Amount saved to consumers on the woolen schedule only under Senate bill, $141,386,000.

Their Hats Guard Their Seats.

The practical mind of the New Yorker is illustrated in the practice that has been adopted in one of the so called dairy restaurants in Nassau street. Chairs are provided for patrons of this restaurant, but there are no waiters, everybody helping himself from the dishes piled on the counters. At the beginning the result was that when a person got up from a chair to get something from the counter he would usually find his chair occupied when he returned. Unpleasant feelings were engendered, and several times rows were barely averted. Finally a genius put his hat in his chair to indicate that he would return. The idea was quickly taken up and has now become the custom. Nobody ever disturbs the chair containing a hat, and there is no more trouble. Newcomers appreciate the unwritten law also.—New York Sun.

Pimples, boils and other humors of the blood are liable to break out in warm weather. Prevent it by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

STORY OF NAPOLEON.

His Generosity Extended to an Old Man Whose Son's Life Was in Danger.

On an incognito visit to the departments with Josephine, Napoleon once entered a humble cottage where sat a venerable man in deep meditation, with his arms folded on his chest. "Plain and virtuous old man," murmured Bonaparte, "thou enjoyest peace under thy roof. Remorse, suspicions, the projects of ambition, trouble not thy delicious simplicity—'tis the simplicity of innocence and goodness."

He was wrong. The old man was in agony. His son, a soldier, was about to be tried for some act of insubordination before a court martial and was likely to be condemned to death. He begged the intercession of his visitor. One of his daughters added her entreaty. "Speak to Mme. Bonaparte," she said. "People say that she is so kind and so indulgent—that her husband never refuses her anything."

"You are right," replied the consul, with a smile. "She manages so well that her advice is always followed, especially if its object is to save some one who is unfortunate. You cannot do better than to pronounce the name of Josephine, for it will secure the pardon of your brother. Nay, I will myself solicit Bonaparte in his favor and endeavor to have him enter the consular guard."

Then Josephine placed a ring on the girl's finger, pledged herself to provide for her dowry when she should be married, and Bonaparte added: "I will give Charles his first pair of epaulets. He shall receive them on the field of battle as a reward of his bravery."

The visitors went out without telling their names. But the son was saved and the daughter got her dowry. All such promises were held as sacred by Napoleon. He was always displaying his generosity in innumerable ways and never seemed to forget anything. Perhaps this characteristic did more than any other to endear him to the common people as well as to the soldiers in the ranks. It was folly for any one to tell these soldiers, "Bonaparte makes you food for bullets." Their answer was: "The Bourbons would have made us food for poverty and starvation. Now at least we have decent food, we are fairly well clad, and there is not one of us who can read who may not aspire even to a throne."—Chicago Herald.

A Great Problem.

"As we were going home from flying his kite," said Mr. Bozzle, "my young son says to me, 'I know how to fly a kite when there's a good breeze, don't I?' and I say, 'Surely,' but I do not say to him—why should I burden him with such things now?—that anybody can fly a kite when there's a breeze—that the great problem of life is to know how to fly a kite when there isn't any breeze."—New York Sun.

Synthetic Food.

Another thing that is enough to make one want to live till the year 2000 is the method by which the people of that time will make their food. If what the chemists tell us is true, there will be no more milking cows or tilling the soil. There will be no more destruction of crops and fruits by the potato bug, the curculio, the white scale or the black knot, for there will be no more fruits or crops. Manufacturers will have learned to make food by chemical process, food as delicious as the most luscious of California cherries and apricots, and it will not spoil when the railroad men go on strike.

There will not be cows any more or Texas steers. Pastures will be occupied by people instead of pigs. Children in place of lambs and calves will gambol upon the green. There will be no slum populations any more. The chemist has already analyzed the constituents of leading articles of food. He knows to a dot just how much nitrogen, carbon, phosphorus and other elements go to make apples, flour, butter and pears, not to mention a beefsteak or lamb chop.

The next step will be to put these elements together as nature puts them together. This is the magnificent problem on which the scientists are now at work. In the laboratory of organic chemistry the brave student will force nature to give up her most jealously guarded secrets. We shall have chemically made meat, milk and oils. They will be much better and purer than they are as at present manufactured by the physiological processes of animal life. There will be no infection of tuberculosis, no inflammations, poisons or weakness, to be imbibed in the meat, butter and milk we use.

The great French chemist, Berthelot, told a newspaper correspondent recently that he had made already the various fats that are found in milk. Milk sugar has been made, too, and now it only remains to produce artificial casein. Eggs will be manufactured undoubtedly and turned out fresh laid every day from great factories in which there will not be the cackle of a hen or the smell of an incubator. Clean, happy, deft handed men and women will operate the wood and metal hens at will. And nobody can rob henroosts any more, for there won't be any henroosts.

These Our Scientists.

The meeting in Brooklyn of the American Association For the Advancement of Science has given rise to some of the wildest, weirdest, uncanniest specimens of the newspaper illustrator's art that ever saw the light of day. Unearthly eyed, stoop shouldered, baldheaded, with unspeakable grins upon their faces, with whiskers that look like a Russian thistle, the scientists sat and talked all day about the rhizomes of gas, ammoniacal solution of silver nitrate, propionic aldehyde and parapropionic aldehyde. They rattled around till all was blue facts concerning the behavior of allyl malonic, allyl acetic and aethoylidene propionic acids when boiled in a solution of caustic soda.

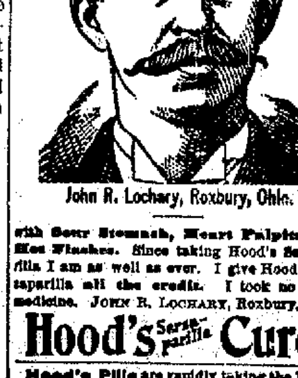
When a scientist announced that he had found the lophopappus, a new genus of Mutisiaceous compositæ, he was transported into a state of bliss only equaled by that of the man who had found out about etherinarcosis. They were gladder than if they had found a $1,000,000 nugget of common, vulgar gold. This was because the name gold has only one syllable.

We don't believe the scientists looked like the pictures the wicked newspaper artists give of them. If they did, then they would be a more rare collection than any of their own fossils and cockroaches. But if they did resemble their pictures it would not be much wonder, on account of the big words the poor fellows have to rattle their jaws around all the time.

A lady writing from Italy speaks of the disposition among the people there to swindle and cheat travelers. She says the Italian common people are courtesy itself; that they seem to vie with one another in the attempt to do favors to the tourist, but they will cheat him out of his eyes. They are utterly conscienceless in overcharging him. The limit of their prices is the limit of the traveler's purse. It is because of the pitiful poverty of the Italian people. Starvation drives otherwise honest people to steal and even murder. The same tendency is marked among the inhabitants of oriental countries. Persian, Hindoo and Arab venders of small wares are notorious for their dishonesty, and there is no region of the earth so poverty stricken as the countries of the orient. When all is said and done, nothing makes a man honest like plenty to eat and wear; nothing makes him a thief and robber so quickly as an empty stomach.

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FROM THE RANKS.

By CAPTAIN CHARLES KING.

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"It was expensive masquerading, to say the least," replied the colonel, "but he never realized the consequences until Armitage told him today. You must hear his story in brief, Chester. It is needful that three or four of us know it, so that some may be left to set things right at Sibley. God grant us all safe return!" he added piously and with deep emotion. "I can far better appreciate our home and happiness than I could a month ago. Now, Renwick, tell the captain what you have told us."

And briefly it was told—how in his youthful fury he had sworn never again to set foot within the door of the father and mother who had so wronged the poor girl he loved with boyish fervor; how he called down the vengeance of heaven upon them in his frenzy and distress; how he had sworn never again to set eyes on their faces. "May God strike me dead if ever I return to this roof until she is avenged! May he deal with you as you have dealt with her!" was the curse that flew from his wild lips, and with that he left them, stunned. He went west, was soon penniless, and caring not what he did, seeking change, adventure, anything to take him out of his past, he enlisted in the cavalry and was speedily drafted to the ——th, which was just starting forth on a stirring summer campaign. He was a fine horseman, a fine shot, a man who instantly attracted the notice of his officers. The campaign was full of danger, adventure, rapid and constant marching, and before he knew it or dreamed it possible he had become deeply interested in his new life.

Only in the monotony of a month or two in garrison that winter did the service seem intolerable. His comrades were rough in the main, but thoroughly good hearted, and he soon won their esteem. The spring sent them again into the field, another stirring campaign, and here he won his stripes and words of praise from the lips of a veteran general officer as well as the promise of future reward, and then the love of soldierly deeds and the thirst for soldierly renown took firm hold in his breast. He began to turn toward the mother and father who had been wrapped up in his future, who loved him so devotedly. He was forgetting his early and passionate love, and the bitter sorrow of her death was losing fast its poignant power to steel him against his kindred. He knew they could not but be proud of the record he had made in the ranks of the gallant ——th, and then he shrank and shivered when he recalled the dreadful words of his curse. He had made up his mind to write, implore pardon for his hideous and unfilial language and invoke their interest in his career, when, returning to Fort Raines for supplies, he picked up a New York paper in the reading room and read the announcement of his father's death, "whose health had been broken ever since the disappearance of his only son, two years before." The memory of his malediction had indeed come home to him, and he fell stricken by a sudden and unaccountable blow. It seemed as though his heart had given one wild leap, then stopped forever. Things did not go so well after this. He brooded over his words and believed that an avenging God had launched the bolt that killed the father as punishment to the stubborn and recreant son. He then bethought him of his mother, of pretty Alice, who had loved him so as a little girl. He could not bring himself to write, but through inquiries he learned that the house was closed and that they had gone abroad. He plodded on in his duties a trying year; then came more lively field work and reviving interest. He was forgetting entirely the sting of his first great sorrow and mourning gravely the gulf he had placed 'twixt him and his.

He thought time and again of his cruel words, and something began to whisper to him he must see that mother again at once, kiss her hand and implore her forgiveness, or she, too, would be stricken suddenly. He saved up his money hoping that after the summer's rifle work at Sibley he might get a furlough and go east, and the night he arrived at the fort, tired with his long railway journey and panting after a long and difficult climb up hill, his mother's face swam suddenly before his eyes, and he felt himself going down. When they brought him to, he heard that the ladies were Mrs. Maynard and her daughter, Miss Renwick—his own mother, remarried; his own Alice, a grown young woman. This was indeed news to put him in a flutter and spoil his shooting. He realized at once that the gulf was wider than ever. How could he go to her now, the wife of a colonel, and he an enlisted man? Like other soldiers, he forgot that the line of demarcation was one of discipline, not of sympathy. He did not realize what any soldier among his officers would gladly have told him—that he was most worthy to reveal himself now, a noncommissioned officer whose record was an honor to himself and to his regiment, a soldier of whom officers and comrades alike were proud. He never dreamed—indeed, how few there are who do—that a man of his character, standing and ability is honored and respected by the very men whom the customs of the service require him to speak with only when spoken to. He supposed that only as Fred Renwick could he extend his hand to one of their number, whereas it was under his soldier name he won their trust and admiration, and it was as Sergeant McLeod the officers of the ——th were backing him for a commission that would make him what they deemed him fit to be—their equal.

Unable to penetrate the armor of reserve and discipline which separates the officer from the rank and file, he never imagined that the colonel would have been the first to welcome him had he known the truth. He believed that now his last chance of seeing his mother was gone until that coveted commission was won. Then came another blow. The doctor told him that with his heart trouble he could never pass the physical examination. He could not hope for preferment, then, and must see her as he was and see her secretly and alone. Then came blow after blow. His shooting had failed, so had that of others of his regiment, and he was ordered to return in charge of the party early on the morrow. The order reached him late in the evening, and before breakfast time on the following day he was directed to start with his party for town, thence by rail to his distant post. That night, in desperation, he made his plan. Twice before he had strolled down to the post, and with yearning eyes had studied every feature of the colonel's house. He need ask no questions of servants or of the men in garrison, but he learned enough to know which rooms were theirs, and he had noted that the windows were always open. If he could only see their loved faces, kneel and kiss his mother's hand, pray God to forgive him, he could go away believing that he had undone the spell and revoked the malediction of his early youth. It was hazardous, but worth the danger. He could go in peace and sin no more toward mother, at least, and then if she mourned and missed him could he not find it out some day and make himself known to her after his discharge? He slipped out of camp, leaving his boots behind and wearing his light Apache moccasins and flannel shirt and trousers. Danger to himself he had no great fear of. If by any chance mother or sister should wake, he had but to stretch forth his hand and say, "It is only I—Fred." Danger to them he never dreamed of.

Strong and athletic, despite his slender frame, he easily lifted the ladder from Jerrold's fence, and dodging the sentry when he spied him at the gate finally took it down back of the colonel's and raised it to a rear window. By the strangest chance the window was closed, and he could not budge it. Then he heard the challenge of a sentry around on the east front and had just time to slip down and lower the ladder when he heard the rattle of a sword and knew it must be the officer of the day. There was no time to carry off the ladder. He left it lying where it was and sprang down the steps toward the station. Soon he heard No. 5 challenge and knew the officer had passed on; waited some time, but nothing occured to indicate that the ladder was discovered, and then, plucking up courage and with a muttered prayer for guidance and protection, he stole up hill again, raised the ladder to the west wall, noiselessly ascended, peered in Alice's window and could see a faint night light burning in the hall beyond, but that all was darkness there, stole around on the roof of the piazza to the hall window, stepped noiselessly upon the sill, climbed over the lowered sash and found himself midway between the rooms. He could hear the colonel's placid snoring and the regular breathing of the other sleepers. No time was to be lost. Shading the little night lamp with one hand, he entered the open door, stole to the bedside, took one long look at his mother's face, knelt, breathed upon, but barely brushed with his trembling lips, the queenly white hand that lay upon the coverlet, poured forth one brief prayer to God for protection and blessing for her and forgiveness for him, retraced his steps and caught sight of the lovely picture of Alice in the directoire costume. He longed for it and could not resist. She had grown so beautiful, so exquisite. He took it, frame and all, carried it into her room, slipped the card from its place and hid it inside the breast of his shirt, stowed the frame away behind her sofa pillow, then looked long at the lovely picture she herself made, lying there sleeping sweetly and peacefully amid the white drapings of her dainty bed. Then 'twas time to go. He put the lamp back in the hall, passed through her room, out at her window and down the ladder and laid it well on the way back to the hooks on Jerrold's fence when seized and challenged by the officer of the day. Mad terror possessed him then. He struck blindly, dashed off in panicky flight, paid no heed to sentrys' cry or whistling missile, but tore like a racer up the path and never slackened speed till Sibley was far behind.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

"Yankee Doodle" and "Hail, Columbia."

Louis C. Elson, the musical critic, says that "Yankee Doodle" was suggested by the motley appearance of the colonial troops when they mustered for the Indian wars in 1755. An English wit composed it, and the slang of that day, "doodle," meant a simpleton, and "macaroni" a dude. Mr. Elson says that "Yankee Doodle" was the beginning and the end of the Revolutionary war, for at Lexington the British played it in derision, and at the surrender of Cornwallis the Americans paid it back with interest, making the British prisoners march by the same tune. At the present time Europe regards "Hail Columbia" as our national anthem, and the first edition of this song was shown by Mr. Elson in illustrating the crude harmonies with which it was born. The tune had existed for some time as a march, but was first sung in Philadelphia by an actor named Fox at his benefit. The audience went wild over it, and it was encored eight times. Mr. Elson attributed the origin of the music of "The Star Spangled Banner" to an English drinking song, written in 1770.

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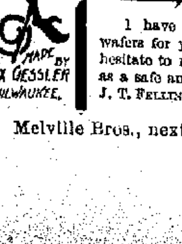
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Saint-Saens, while walking along one of the boulevards one afternoon, encountered a very miserable beggar, to whom he gave 2 sous and passed on. A wealthy Parisian hastened up to the beggar and said, "Here, my man, I'll give you 5 francs for those 2 sous that gentleman just dropped in your hat." "What's that for?" asked the astonished beggar. "I want them for my collection. The man who gave them to you is Saint-Saens, the poet." "What—him?" asked the beggar, pointing toward the fast retreating figure of the donor. "Yes. That's Saint-Saens." "That being the case," returned the beggar, "I think I'll keep the coins. I'm a collector myself."—Exchange.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 8160.

The Citizens Loan and Building Company, Plaintiff, vs. Theodore Feist, Defendant. } Allen Common Pleas

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6th, A. D., 1894,

Between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate corner of Jefferson street and Findlay road in the city of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows to-wit:

Inlot twelve hundred and eighty-nine (1289); and the north half of inlot twelve hundred and ninety (1290), all in McCullough's third addition to the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio.

Inlot No. 1289 appraised at $900 00.
North half of inlot No. 1290 appraised at $850.00.
Terms of sale—Cash.
AARON FISHER,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, August 31st, 1894.
Prophet & Eastman Plaintiff's Attorneys.

SPECIAL TERM

—OF THE—

Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio.

The State of Ohio, Allen County, ss. } Office of the Clerk of Court of Common Pleas of said County.

By an order this day made and filed in my office by the Hon. John E. Richie, Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio, a special term of the Court of Common Pleas of said county has been fixed to begin on Monday, September 24th, 1894, at nine o'clock A. M., for the trial of civil causes pending in said court.

Said order requires that a jury be drawn and summoned to appear on said day at 9:30 A. M.

Said order also requires all attorneys having jury causes pending for trial in said Court to meet at the Common Pleas Court Room on Monday, September 17th, 1894, at 9 o'clock A. M., and assist the Clerk in making an assignment of causes for trial during the first week of said term.

Said order further directs that no cause be assigned for trial which cannot be gotten ready for trial by the day the same may be assigned.

In testimony whereof, I, U. M. Shappell, Clerk of said Court, have hereto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court this 3d of September, 1894.
[SEAL.] U. M. SHAPPELL, Clerk.
9-3-3w.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Daniel H. Ryder, whose place of residence is unknown, late of Lima, Ohio, will take notice that on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1894, in the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, where action is now pending, being cause No. 2525, the undersigned, Mary J. Ryder, filed her petition against the said Daniel H. Ryder, praying for divorce from him; for the restoration to her former name of Mary J. Deitz, and for the custody of their minor child, Willard Ryder.

The said Daniel H. Ryder is required to answer the petition in said action not later than six weeks after the 8th day of August, A. D. 1894, and the date of the first publication of this notice, or such divorce and relief may be granted. MARY J. RYDER.
C. F. Bryan, Attorney for Petitioner.
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Annual Election of Directors.

Of the Allen County Agricultural Society will be held on the Fair Ground, Friday, September 28th, 1894, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m., and 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing one director from each of the following townships, viz: Amanda, Bath, Monroe, Richland, Sugar Creek, and two from the city of Lima.
By order of the Board.
9-4-3t-tu-d&w MINER A. ATMUR, Sec'y.

Notice of Appointment.

Assignment of William A. Germann.

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of William A. Germann, of Allen county, Ohio. All persons indebted to said assignor will make immediate payment, and creditors will present their claims, according to law, duly authenticated, to the undersigned, for allowance.
Dated this 13th day of August, A. D. 1894.
JAMES O. OHLER, Assignee.

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Nettie B. Craig, deceased:

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administratrix of the estate of Nettie B. Craig, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.
Dated this 30th day of August, A. D. 1894.
MAGGIE J. CRAIG, Administratrix.

Assignee's Notice.

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Garnier & Richard, of Lima, Allen county, Ohio. All persons indebted to said assignors will make immediate payment, and creditors will present their claims duly authenticated to the undersigned for allowance. JACOB KISSER, Assignee.
Lima, Ohio, August 10th, 1894.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Luther M. Meily, deceased:

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Luther M. Meily, late of Allen county, deceased. All persons interested will govern themselves accordingly.
Dated this 27th day of August, A. D. 1894.
8-28-3w R. W. MEILY, Adm'r.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Sarah McCullough, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Sarah McCullough, late of Allen county, deceased. All persons interested will govern themselves accordingly.
Dated this 11th day of August, A. D., 1894.
8-11-3wks JAMES PILLARS,

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Theo. D. Robb, Plaintiff, vs. Leonard Place, Defendant. } Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, A. D. 1894,

Between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in Shawnee Township, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

All of the east half of the northwest quarter of section two in township four (4) south of range six (6) east, in Allen county, Ohio, which lies north of the right-of-way of the Chicago and Atlantic railroad, containing 47 29-100 acres of land, more or less, subject to a right-of-way twenty (20) feet wide of Wm. S. Schofield and others of ingress and egress across said premises, as conveyed to them by deed dated February 3, 1887, and recorded in volume 60, page 546, of the Records of Deeds of said county.

Appraised at $2,000.00.
Terms of sale: Cash.
AARON FISHER, Sheriff,
Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, August 18t, 1894.
Layton & Stueve and W. T. Copeland, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 8136.

Merideth Simmons, Plaintiff, vs. Elizabeth Bond, et al, Defend'ts } Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th, A. D., 1894,

Between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated on West Spring street in the city of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number fifteen hundred and twenty-seven (1527) in Lamison's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio.

Appraised at $3,100.00.
Terms of sale, cash.
AARON FISHER,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, August 10, 1894.
D. C. Henderson, plaintiff's attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 7980.

Elizabeth S. Bayley, Plaintiff, vs. Elizabeth B. Goodenow et al, Defendants. } Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county Ohio, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th, A. D. 1894,

between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the City of Lima, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows to-wit:

A part of inlot number one thousand and twenty (1020) described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the west line of inlot one thousand and twenty (1020) in Miller's addition to the Eureka addition to the city of Lima, in Allen county, Ohio, one hundred and thirty (130) feet north of the south-west corner of said inlot; thence north on said west line forty (40) feet; thence east parallel with the north line of said inlot one hundred and eighty-two (182) feet to the west line of that portion of said lot owned by Henry Frueh; thence south on said west line of Henry Frueh's lot forty (40) feet; thence west to the place of beginning.

Appraised at $700.00.

Also commencing at the northwest corner of inlot ten hundred and twenty (1020) in Miller's addition to the Eureka addition of the city of Lima, Ohio; thence south on the west line of said inlot seventy-five (75) feet, and eight (8) inches; thence east parallel with the north line of said inlot one hundred and thirty-seven (137) feet to a point one hundred (100) feet west of the east line of said inlot; thence north seventy-five (75) feet and eight (8) inches to the north line of said lot; thence west to the place of beginning.

Appraised at $1000.00.
Terms of sale:—Cash.
AARON FISHER
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, July 31, 1894.
Motter & Mackenzie Plaintiff's Attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 5199.

C. C. Bancroft, trustee, plaintiff, vs. James J. Kinney, et al., def'ts. } Allen Probate Court.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed. I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29th, A. D. 1894

Between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate on West McKibben street, in Lima Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

The west half of inlot number one (1) old number, new number eight hundred and thirty one (831) in Hannans' addition to the city of Lima, Ohio.

Appraised at $1,525.00.
Terms of sale:—Cash.
AARON FISHER, Sheriff,
Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, August 23d, 1894.

Notice of Appointment.

Assignment of Charles L. Ackerman

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust, for the benefit of the creditors of Charles L. Ackerman, of Lima, Allen county, Ohio. All persons indebted to said assignor will make immediate payment, and creditors will present their claims, according to law, duly authenticated, to the undersigned for allowance.
Dated this 13th day of August, A. D. 1894.
WALTER J. [illegible],
8-13-4wks Assignee.

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Ellen Gallagher, deceased:

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Ellen Gallagher, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.
Dated this 18th day of August, A. D. 1894.
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3:35	8:00	Lima	12:30	9:06
3:58	8:24	Uniopolis	12:03	8:42
4:06	8:33	St. Johns	11:54	8:33
4:25	8:53	Jackson Center	11:34	8:12
4:49	9:19	Quincy	11:08	7:46
5:17	9:47	St. Paris	10:40	7:18
6:20	10:53	Ar... Springfield... Lv.	9:35	6:15
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6:57	11:31	So. Charleston	8:58	5:34
7:09	11:44	So. Solon	8:43	5:22
7:23	11:59	Jeffersonville	8:29	5:09
7:47	12:26	Washington C. H.	8:06	4:46
8:14	12:56	Island Grove	7:36	4:17
8:16	12:59	Greenfield	7:34	4:16
8:19	1:02	Thrifton	7:31	4:13
8:43	1:26	Bainbridge	7:10	3:51
9:45	2:41	Waverley	6:09	2:47
9:48	2:47	Glen Jean	6:06	2:44
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6:23	3:58	Coalton	4:53	8:19
6:46	4:15	Ar..... Wellston......Lv	4:30	8:00
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Westward.		9	5	3	39	35
		AM	PM	PM	PM	PM
Pittsb'gh	lv	5 45	5 00	1 15		
Alliance	ar	9 40	8 30	4 30		
Canton	lv	9 16	9 04	5 28		
Massillon	"	11 31	9 15	5 48		
Wooster	"	11 15	10 05	5 55		
Mansfield	"	12 25	11 16			
Crestline	ar/lv	1 15	[illegible]		5 30	5 00
Robinson	"				5 42	5 12
Bucyrus	"	1 1?			6 56	5 25
Nevada	"				7 15	5 41
U.Sandusky	"		12 34		7 30	5 47
Kirby	"				7 42	5 57
Forest	"				7 51	6 12
Dunkirk	"				8 00	6 22
Washingt'n	"				8 13	6 35
Ada	"				8 25	6 40
Lafayette	"				8 51	6 53
Lima	"	2 50	1 45		9 05	7 05
Elida	"				9 20	7 20
Delphos	"	3 14			9 35	7 35
Middlepoint	"				9 50	7 50
Van Wert	"	3 34	2 29		10 03	8 01
Convoy	"				10 17	8 15
Dixon	"				10 33	8 31
Monroeville	"				10 43	8 40
Maples	"				10 51	8 51
Adams	"				11 01	9 03
Ft. Wayne	ar	4 25	3 20		11 09	9 25
Warsaw	"	5 34	4 35		1 03	
Plymouth	"	6 05	5 12		1 55	
Valparaiso	"	7 21	6 20		3 10	
Chicago	ar	9 00	8 00		5 00	
		PM	AM		PM	

Eastward.		20	8	4	6	36
		AM	PM	PM	PM	AM
Chicago	lv	7 30	3 15	11 30	11 30	
Valparaiso	"	9 10	4 47	1 35	1 35	
Plymouth	"	10 39	6 05	2 58	2 58	
Warsaw	"	11 20	6 41	3 56	3 56	
Ft. Wayne	"	12 55	8 05	5 23	5 23	7 10
Adams	"	1 07				7 20
Maples	"	1 15				7 23
Monroeville	"	1 25	8 32	6 06	6 06	7 41
Dixon	"	1 35				7 50
Convoy	"	1 46		6 24	6 24	8 00
Van Wert	"	2 02	9 00	6 38	6 38	8 15
Middlepoint	"	2 17		6 53	6 53	8 30
Delphos	"	2 29	9 22	7 04	7 04	8 43
Elida	"	2 44				9 00
Lima	"	3 00	9 45	7 30	7 30	9 30
Lafayette	"	3 17				9 50
Ada	"	3 30		8 00	8 00	10 05
Washingt'n	"	3 45				10 20
Dunkirk	"	3 52		8 18	8 18	10 27
Forest	"	4 06	10 35	8 30	8 30	10 44
Kirby	"	4 17				10 55
U.Sandusky	"	4 32	10 54	8 53	8 53	11 10
Nevada	"	4 54		9 13	9 13	11 32
Bucyrus	"	5 14	11 26	9 32	9 32	11 52
Robinson	"	5 32				12 05
Crestline	ar	5 50	11 55	10 00	10 00	12 20
	lv	6 10	12 01	10 10	10 50	4 50
Mansfield	"	6 40	12 30	10 37	11 22	5 18
Wooster	"	8 03	2 11	11 42	12 45	6 41
Massillon	"	9 03	3 00	12 45	1 36	7 35
Canton	"	9 20	3 15	1 05	2 05	7 53
Alliance	"	10 05	3 50	1 45	2 45	8 30
Pittsb'gh	ar	1 15	6 35	5 10	5 15	11 5?
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*Daily. †Except Sunday. ‡Flag Stop. [Meals.

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G H. OYLER, Ticket Agent Lima.

CINCINNATI HAMILTON & DAYTON R.R.

C., H. & D.

NORTH BOUND.

		ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1*, daily		2:45 a. m.	2:50 a. m.
" 3, daily ex. Sunday		8:31 a. m.	8:40 a. m.
" 5 "		1:15 p. m.	1:35 p. m.
" 8 "		6:50 p. m.	6:10 p. m.
" 10 " ex. Sunday		7:15 p. m.	
" 60, Sunday only		7:35 a. m.	7:40 a. m.
" 62, Sunday only		10:20 p. m.	
" 14, daily ex. Sunday			6:10 a. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

	ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 13, daily ex. Sunday		5:45 a. m.
" 1, "	9:10 a. m.	9:20 a. m.
" 5, "	12:25 a. m.	12:45 p. m.
" 9, "	5:36 p. m.	5:55 p. m.
" 7, "	2:21 p. m.	2:30 a. m.
" 12, ex. Sunday	8:30 p. m.	
" 61, Sunday only		7:25 a. m.

Train No. 413 leaves Toledo at 6:00 p. m. arrives at Findlay at 8:05 p. m.
Train No. 408 leaves Findlay at 6:30 p. m. arrives at Toledo at 8:40 p. m.
No. 9 makes connection for Chicago.
No. 11 will make connections for Chicago, St. Louis and points west and south.
No 14 will reach Toledo in time for all boats, and make connections for Cleveland, Buffalo, Detroit, and points east.
The C., H. & D. will sell tickets on Sunday to all stations at one fare for round trip.
Corrected time table effective July 22, 1894.
B. I. McGUIRE Ticket Agent.

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Sandusky and Peoria, and Indianapolis and Michigan City.
Direct communications to and from all points of the United States and Canada.

EAST BOUND FROM LIMA.
No. 61 Sandusky acc, leaves .... 7:50 a. m.
" 4† Fast mail, " .... 1:50 p. m.
" 2* " express " .... 7:35 p. m.
" 128† Minster accommodation, stops at Lima .... 3 10 p. m.

WEST BOUND FROM LIMA.
No. 1* Fast mail, leaves .... 9:40 a. m.
" 3† " express " .... 2:30 a. m.
" 6† Sandusky acc., arrives .... 4:46 p. m.
" 129† Minster acc., leaves .... 5:00 p. m.
Sunday Lake Special, stops at Lima 9 30 p. m.
†Daily except Sunday. *Daily.
No. 1 arrives at Bloomington at 9:35 p. m., making direct connection with C. & A. fast train, arriving at Kansas City at 8:30 next morning.
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Chicago & Erie Railroad.

Time card in effect Dec. 10, '93. From Lima, O.

TRAINS WEST. Depart
No. 5 Vestibule Limited, daily, for Chicago .... 1:12 p. m.
" 3 Pacific Express, daily, for Chicago .... 12:15 p. m.
" 1 Express, daily, except Sunday for Chicago .... 9:10 a. m.
" 31 local daily, except Sunday 7:00 a. m.

TRAINS EAST.
No. 8, Vestibule Limited, daily, for New York and Boston .... 3:1 p. m.
" 2, Express daily, except Sunday 3:30 p. m.
" 12, Express daily, for New York 2:12 a. m.
" 32, local daily, except Sunday .....7:00 a. m.
Trains No. 1 and 2 stop at all stations on C & E. division.
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Beware of imitations.

LOCAL TIM...

Standard ...

C. H. & ...

JUROR...

Chosen for the Spe... Term of C...

The following p... specials were yeste... the special term of t... Common Pleas Court... gin Monday, Sept. ... Calvin Halladay, ... Nicholas Kill, Spe... Reichelderfer, Shaw... Hill, 2nd ward, Lim... 6th ward, Lima; M. ... ion tp; Loren E. ... Lima; Wm. A. Wi... Delphos; Wm. M. ... ward, precinct B, Li... 2nd ward, Delphos; ... kins, Sugar Creek tp... berg, 2nd ward, Delp... Specials—John N... Peter Slusser, 4th w... Lima; Wm. Mertz, A... precinct; Thomas G... tp.

Dr. Hand's Colic ...

CEDARVILLE, O., ...
I heartily recomm... Hand's Remedies fo... baby had colic so bad... worn out. A lady fr... Dr. Hand's Colic Cu... 25c bottle and both ... now have sweet and ... I also find Dr. Hand'... of great benefit to m...
Respectfully...
MRS. ...
Dr. Hand's Remed... 25c at all druggists.
Jno P. Harley... E. Ashton...

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Foley's Sarsaparilla ... to ten times stronger ... ing qualities than an... tary medicine. Tria... F. Vortkamp.

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Irving W. Lar... director of Y. M. C. ... Iowa, says he can... recommend Chamber... to athletes, gymnast... ball players and th... general for bruises, ... locations; also for so... ness of the muscles. ... before the parts be... will effect a cure in ... usually required. F... ville, druggist, posto...

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LOCAL TIME CARDS.

Standard Time.

C. H. & D.

NORTH BOUND.

	Arrive.	Leave.
		6:10 a. m
	3:45 a. m.	3:50 a. m
	8:35 a. m.	8:40 a. m
	1:15 p. m.	1:35 p. m
	5:50 p. m.	6:10 p. m
Stop at Lima	9:15 p. m.	
Sunday only	7:35 a. m.	7:40 a.m
Sunday only	10:39 p. m.	

SOUTH BOUND.

	Arrive.	Leave.
		6:45 a. m
	9:10 a. m.	9:20 a. m
	12:25 a. m.	12:45 p. m
	5:35 p. m.	5:55 p. m
	2:30 a. m.	2:30 a. m
Sunday only		7:25 a. m
Stop at Lima	8:20 p. m.	

L. E. & W.

WEST BOUND.

Mail	9:25 a. m.	9:40 a. m
Express	2:05 a. m.	2:30 a. m
Accommodation	4:45 p. m.	
Minster accom'd'n		5:00 p. m
Sunday Lake Special		9:30 p. m

EAST BOUND.

Accommodation	7:20 a. m.	
Mail	1:30 p. m	1:50 p. m
Express	7:20 p. m.	7:35 p. m
Minster accom	3:10 p. m.	
Sunday Lake Special		7:00 a. m

F., Ft. W. & C.

EAST BOUND.

	7:30 a. m
	9:30 a. m
	9:45 p. m
	3:00 p. m
Local freight	6:25 a. m

WEST BOUND.

	9:20 a. m
	2:50 p. m
	7:20 p. m
	1:45 a. m
Local freight	7:25 a. m

C. & E.

WEST BOUND.

Vestibule Limited, daily for Chicago and the West	1:12 p. m
Pacific Express, daily for Chicago and the West	12:15 p. m
Express, daily except Sunday for Chicago and the West	6:10 a. m
	7:00 a. m

EAST BOUND.

Vestibule Limited	8:15 p. m
Express	3:30 a. m
Accommodation	2:52 p. m
	7:00 a. m

O. S.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 1	arr. 12:30 p. m
"	" 9:05 p. m

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 1	lve. 8:00 a. m
"	" 3:35 p. m

JURORS

Chosen for the Special September Term of Court.

The following petit jurors and specials were yesterday chosen for the special term of the Allen County Common Pleas Court, which will begin Monday, Sept. 24th, at 9 o'clock: Calvin Halladay, 6th ward, Lima; Nicholas Kill, Spencer tp; Jacob Reicheiderfer, Shawnee tp; T. F. Hill, 2nd ward, Lima; W. L. Watt, 6th ward, Lima; M. Jettinghoff, Marion tp; Loren E. Price, 3rd ward, Lima; Wm. A. Wagner, 2nd ward, Delphos; Wm. M. Mechling, 4th ward, precinct B, Lima; Ben Dunn, 2nd ward, Delphos; Thomas J. Watkins, Sugar Creek tp; G. G. Frankenberg, 2nd ward, Delphos.

Specials—John Nixon, Jackson tp; Peter Slusser, 4th ward, precinct B, Lima; Wm. Mertz, Auglaize tp, east precinct; Thomas Griffith, Amanda tp.

Dr. Hand's Colic Cure in Ohio.

CEDARVILLE, O., May 4th, 1893.

I heartily recommend forever Dr. Hand's Remedies for Children. My baby had colic so bad I was almost worn out. A lady friend told me of Dr. Hand's Colic Cure, I bought a 25c bottle and both baby and myself now have sweet and refreshing sleep. I also find Dr. Hand's Pleasant Physic of great benefit to myself and child.

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The Best is Cheapest.

Foley's Sarsaparilla is from three to ten times stronger in blood cleansing qualities than any other proprietary medicine. Trial size, 50c. H. F. Vortkamp.

Straw Hats with Princess Tips.

The hat of the moment is a broad rimmed, soft straw, trimmed with three or six tips of the Prince of Wales style and fastened with jewel headed pins. Of course, the fancy ornaments are not worn on the street. In the country, on hotel piazzas, board walks and the drive, fashions are followed that would not be good form in town.

Irving W. Larimore, physical director of Y. M. C. A., Des Moines, Iowa, says he can conscientiously recommend Chamberlain's Pain Balm to athletes, gymnasts, bicyclists, foot ball players and the profession in general for bruises, sprains and dislocations; also for soreness and stiffness of the muscles. When applied before the parts become swollen it will effect a cure in one half the time usually required. For sale by Melville, druggist, postoffice building.

Found

At Vortkamp's drug store, a marvelous cure for all kidney complaints, nervous exhaustion and female weakness. It is the Clinic Kidney Cure.

BIG CROWD

Witness the Limas Defeat Decatur a Second Time.

The Game Was Close and Exciting—Faurot's Clever Work in the Box.

Two thousand people witnessed the Lima defeat Decatur yesterday a second time, in a well-played contest. It was both interesting and exciting, and the spectators were well pleased.

Faurot pitched as good a game as was ever pitched on the home ground and has won the confidence of the people by defeating the sluggers from Decatur. In the third inning they found him for six hits, but it stopped right there, and only three little dinky hits were made off him afterwards.

Minnehan, Decatur's crack man, was effective at first, but the boys soon found his curves and pounded him hard.

Many very neat plays were made which robbed the batters of base hits. Stohl, Decatur's left fielder, made one of the neatest catches of the season. Ziegler, of the Limas, made a great catch in center field, depriving Colliers of a nice hit. Breen is a good addition to the club, his fielding and base running being almost perfect.

Both were easy in the first inning and failed to score.

In the second Whiteman scored the only run by his three-base hit and a clever steal to home. Decatur was goose-egged in their half.

Lima again scored one in their half of the third, while Decatur jumped onto Faurot's curves and pounded out four hits and three runs.

By clever work in the fourth Lima scored one run, while Decatur was retired.

One base on balls and one hit gave Lima one score in the fifth. Faurot braced up and struck out two men and stopped a hot liner, retiring the side without a hit or score.

Both were easily retired in the sixth.

Lima jumped onto Minnehan in the seventh and found him for three hits and two runs, while Decatur was easy.

In the eighth Lima scored one run. Decatur bunched two hits and scored two runs.

Lima scored one in the ninth, and Decatur failed to score.

The following is the score:

Lima ....0 1 1 1 1 0 2 1 1—8
Decatur.......0 0 3 0 0 0 0 2 0—5

Base hits—Lima 12, Decatur 9. Errors—Lima 1, Decatur 6. Earned runs—Lima 4, Decatur 3. Two-base hits—Ziegler, O'Connor and Judy. Three-base hits—Whiteman, Hines, Ferral. Double plays—Stokes, Zeigler and Whiteman. Struck out—by Faurot 4, by Minnehan 3. Umpire, Mercer. Time of game, one hour and thirty-five minutes.

QUICKSTEPS WON.

The Lima Quicksteps yesterday defeated the Bluffton team by a score of 24 to 18. The game took place on the Bluffton grounds. Jas. Crall, who was playing with the Limas received a badly cut face by sliding into third.

LITTLE RATS WON.

The ball game between the Little Rats and Centrals yesterday was won by the Little Rats. The following is the score by innings:

Centrals.......7 6 2 3 0 0 0 5 2—25
Little Rats...3 3 1 2 5 1 3 1 8—27

PICK UPS.

The attendance at the ball park yesterday afternoon was the largest ever assembled on the home grounds.

The Findlays yesterday played the Cleveland Athletics two games, winning both of them. The scores were 11 and 5 and 15 and 6.

The Delphos team plays here tomorrow and the following day. Knopps, who has been pitching for Marion, is expected here to-night to help the Limas win.

Tired, Weak, Nervous,

Means impure blood, and overwork or too much strain on brain and body. The only way to cure is to feed the nerves on pure blood. Thousands of people certify that the best blood purifier, the best nerve tonic and strength builder is Hood's Sarsaparilla. What it has done for others it will also do for you—Hood's Cures.

Hood's Pills cure constipation by restoring peristaltic action in the alimentary canal.

ELIDA NEWS.

ELIDA, OHIO, Sept. 4, 1894.

Mrs. Elizabeth Long, of Cincinnati, is visiting her son, M. H. Long.

Rev. A. Kissel returned yesterday from Saratoga, Ind., where he had been attending the Auglaize Liberal U. B. conference. He will remain another year on the Elida circuit.

Rev. Richards, of Venedocia, assisted by Elida talent, will give a concert at the M. E. church on Saturday evening next.

Buddy Myers is the champion trick wheel rider of Elida. He can stand upon his head with as much grace as a bear.

Bert Long left yesterday for a week's visit among relatives at the Queen City. In the meantime Villa John will keep him posted as to the home news.

Mrs. Martha Crites and daughter Tirzah, who have been spending the summer at Lake View, Mich., are expected home the latter part of this week.

Mrs. Mary Stemen, Mrs. W. A. Miller and Mrs. Milt Askins are on the sick list.

The Elida school will begin on Monday next under the supervision of Prof. E. C. Akerman. W. L. Beckman will wield the birch in the grammar department and Miss Minnie Winn, of Zanesville in the primary.

An infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Miller died yesterday afternoon.

The base ball craze has again struck Elida. On Saturday last two games were played at this place. The first between the Elida and Gomer and the second between the Elida and Lima clubs. The score in the first game was 34 to 25 in favor Elida add the second 9 to 3 in favor of Lima.

FLEM.

Strength and Health.

If you are not feeling strong and healthy, try Electric Bitters. If "La Grippe" has left you weak and weary, use Electric Bitters. This remedy acts directly on Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, gently aiding those organs to perform their functions. If you are afflicted with Sick Headache, you will find speedy and permanent relief by taking Electric Bitters. One trial will convince you that this is the remedy you need. Large bottles only 50c., at Melville Bros.' Drug Store.

EXCURSION NOTICES.

NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT, G. A. R.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 5th to 15th. For this occasion the L. E. & W. railway will sell excursion tickets from Lima to Pittsburg and return at the very low rate of $8. Tickets will be on sale September 5th to 10th, good for return passage until September 25th. For further information call at the L. E. & W. ticket office. (d&w) J. C. BURCH.

WYANDOT COUNTY FAIR—EXCURSIONS TO UPPER SANDUSKY VIA PENNSYLVANIA LINES.

Sept. 11th to 14th, excursion tickets to Upper Sandusky, account the Wyandot County Fair, will be sold from Mansfield, Lima and intermediate stations on the Pennsylvania Lines; return coupons valid Saturday, Sept. 15th, inclusive.

d&w B. H. OYLER, Ticket Agent.

LAND SEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

Via the C., H. & D. R. R. The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad will run six Land Seekers' Excursions to all points in the South at rate of one fare for the round trip on August 7th, Sept. 4th, Oct. 2nd, Nov. 6th and Dec. 4th. Tickets good returning within twenty days from date of sale.

For tickets and other information, call on any C., H. & D. R. R. ticket agent, or address D. G. EDWARDS, G. P. A., C., H. & D. R. R., Carew Bl'd'g, Cincinnati, O.

Excursion rates to Fostoria and return via L. E. & W. R. R., September 4th to 7th, account of Northwestern Ohio Fair. 69 10t

HOME SEEKERS' EXCURSIONS TO THE SOUTH.

During the fall and winter the L. E. & W. will run a series of excursions to points in Alabama, Florida, Kentucky, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia. Sept. 4th is the date of the next excursion. Tickets will be sold at one lowest first class fare for the round trip, good for return passage 20 days from date of sale. Stop over privileges granted south of Ohio river. Special inducements offered land buyers if they purchase land along Mobile & Ohio R. R. For particulars call at L. E. & W. ticket office.

d&w J. C. BURCH, Tk't Agent.

O MICHIGAN POINTS AT REDUCED RATES VIA PENNSYLVANIA LINES.

On July 10th, August 14th and September 18th, Home-seekers' Excursion Tickets to points in the State of Michigan will be sold at reduced rates via Pennsylvania Lines, good returning twenty days from date of sale. For details please apply to nearest Pennsylvania Line Ticket Agent.

B. H. OYLER, Tk't Ag't, Lima, O.

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RATES TO PITTSBURG

Will be reasonable via Pennsylvania Lines for G. A. R. National Encampment. For six days, from September 5th to 10th, inclusive—excursion tickets to Pittsburg account of G. A. R. National Encampment will be sold at low rates from every ticket station on the Pennsylvania Lines. Tickets will be good returning until September 25th, inclusive, and one stop over will be allowed on the return portion. These lines connect the principal cities and towns of Western Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana with Pittsburg, and are the only ones over which through trains from all portions of those states arrive at Union Station, convenient to headquarters, hotels and boarding houses. They are the main avenues to travel to Pittsburgh from the Great Lakes on the north; the Mississippi river on the west, and the Ohio river on the south. Connecting lines will sell excursion tickets over these direct routes. Any desired information as to rates and time of trains over the Pennsylvania Lines will be cheerfully furnished by

B. H. OYLER, Ticket Agent, Lima, O.

VAN WERT COUNTY FAIR EXCURSIONS VIA THE PENNSYLVANIA LINES.

September 4th-7th, Excursion Tickets to Van Wert, on account of Van Wert County Fair, will be sold from Ada, Fort Wayne and intermediate ticket stations on the Pennsylvania lines; return coupons valid September 8th, inclusive. B. H. OYLER, eod&w Ticket Agent, Lima, O.

If you are going to make a trip, no matter in what direction, it will be to your interest to call at Ohio Southern office, 75 Public Square, before deciding what route you will travel.

Thousand mile books, good over 31 of the best roads in the country, on sale at all stations for $20. d&w

MOUNTAIN AND OCEAN RESORTS OF THE EAST

are readily reached via Pennsylvania Short Lines. The only route to Cresson and other cool retreats in the Alleghenies. Solid vestibule trains daily over these lines to Cresson and Altoona, run through to New York where connections is made for the White Mountains, the Adirondacks, Mt. Desert Island, and places of summer sojourn in the mountains of Eastern New York, Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine. At New York connections is also made for Fall River, Newport Narragansett Pier, Martha's Vineyard, Nantucket, and famous watering places along the Atlantic, to which passengers via the Pennsylvania Lines have choice of all rail route or palatial steamers of Fall River Line from New York. Atlantic City, Cape May, Long Branch, Ocean Grove, Asbury Park and summer havens along the New Jersey Coast are on divisions of the Pennsylvania System, which comprises the most desirable route to them. Any desired information will be cheerfully furnished by ticket agents of the Pennsylvania Lines, or may be obtained by addressing F. Van Dusen, Chief Assistant General Passenger Agent Pittsburgh Pa.

GRAND SEPTEMBER EXCURSION TO MACKINAC ISLAND.

At the very low rate of only $5.00, via the beautiful steamers of the D. & C. Steam Navigation company, and Toledo. Train leaves Lima at 1 p. m., on special train September 4th. Tickets good to return until the steamer leaving Mackinac Thursday, September 13th. For berth and information call on

H. J. McGUIRE.

d&w Passenger and Ticket Agent, Lima, O.

Take the Ohio Southern R. R. for Parkersburg, W. Va., Washington, D. C., Baltimore, Md., Norfolk, Va., Old Point Comfort, and all points south and east.

SUMMER TOURISTS RATES

Via Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railroad are now on sale to all summer resorts in the North, East, West and South-east.

For information, rates and routes, call on or address

H. I. McGUIRE, Ticket Agent.

Sleeplessness, nervous prostration, fits, St. Vitus dance, nervousness, hysteria, hot flashes, nervous dyspepsia, confusion, are cured by Dr. Miles' Nervine. Trial bottle and fine books *free* at Melville's Drug Store, or address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind. 2

An Epileptic Victim.

Clem Eyster, an employe of the car works, was suddenly stricken with an epileptic fit while walking about the street about 7 o'clock last evening and fell in an unconscious condition in an alley entrance. He was taken home by his brother and a physician summoned. He is reported to be better to-day.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

HATCHED IN A SNAKE.

A Tough Yarn of How a Serpent Acted as an Ostrich Incubator.

Five years ago, living in west Leavenworth, was a German of the name of Cheesmeyer who was very much interested in various methods of incubation. The thought occurred to him one day that eggs properly handled could be hatched in the sun, and desiring to thoroughly test his idea he wrote to his brother, living in southern California, to express to him post haste three ostrich eggs. The eggs arrived in due time, were carefully arranged on a sheepskin mat and placed in the sun. It was necessary, of course, to remove the eggs every night to some warm spot in the stable in order to maintain the high temperature to which they were subjected by the sun during the day.

This process had been continued for some time, when one day a circus arrived in town and pitched its tents on what is called the old Goosetown hill, a little south and to the west of the house of Mr. Cheesmeyer. The good people of Leavenworth were very much frightened by reading in the morning papers the day following an article to the effect that one of the attaches of the circus, in feeding the snakes after the evening's performance, very carelessly left the cage door open and that the largest boa constrictor had escaped in the darkness. People residing in the vicinity of the circus grounds were naturally much exercised for some days over the escape of the snake, but the excitement gradually abated.

On the morning the story of the escaped snake appeared in the local papers Mr. Cheesmeyer went as usual to the barn for the eggs, with the intention of again putting them in the sun. To his great surprise, no eggs were to be seen, but in their place lay the head of a strange looking animal, appearing to be 26 or 27 feet in length. Mr. Cheesmeyer was a courageous man and resolved at once to capture the strange appearing creature. After several attempts he succeeded in throwing a rope over its head, which was no other than the escaped boa constrictor.

Its long captivity had made it quite docile, and Mr. Cheesmeyer experienced but little difficulty in replacing after a few hours the rope with a chain. To one end of the chain was attached an iron band, which was fastened around the body of the snake to serve as a collar, while the other end of the chain was fastened to a stake driven deep in the ground in the center of the yard. In this manner the snake was kept and governed with little difficulty. So engrossed did the German become in his curiosity that all thoughts of incubators and the missing ostrich eggs entirely escaped him. The snake was fed regularly three times a day and soon manifested a knowledge of the approach of mealtime. In an incredibly short time it had learned to rear up and catch on the fly food thrown to it by its master. Just 10 days from the time of capture, as the evening meal was being served to the reptile, a large bone was among the other food tossed to it.

As it opened wide its mouth to grasp the bone Mr. Cheesmeyer was greatly startled at seeing between the widely open jaws of the snake a feathery animal. The plumed creature continued its journey through the precarious exit and walked calmly into the yard, followed by another and finally by a third. Think of it, real live birds making their entrance into the world through the mouth of a boa constrictor! These strange birds proved to be ostriches. Their appearance accounted for the disappearance of three ostrich eggs. At St. Charles, Mo., in a small barn in the outskirts of the town, the three ostriches may still be seen. One of them has been taught to dance to the music of a hand organ, but up to the present time all efforts to educate the other two have been unavailing.—Chicago Post.

Dehumanized Biology.

Charles Reade, who said so many wise and philosophic things, said one wise thing which might be written in letters of gold on every building in every city. I quote from memory: "When you go into a room, you fancy everybody there is observing and noticing everything about you. But they are not. They are doing just what you are doing—thinking about themselves."

Darwin applied that self same principle to plants and animals. "You men fancy," he said in effect, "every other species is thinking about you and working for you; that corn and fruit trees bring forth grain and apples entirely for your sake; that thorns and thistles are trying on purpose to hurt and spite you. But they are not. They are doing just what you are doing—thinking about themselves, working for their own kind and their own offspring. Not for you or yours does any part or organ of any plant or animal exist, but simply and solely for that plant or animal. Each species tries to utilize other species for its own objects, but it never does anything for the sake of that other species—any more than you sow corn or plant pippins out of abstract love for the wheat plant or the apple tree."

And because Darwin says he became the Copernicus of zoology and botany he decentralized and dehumanized biological conceptions.—Indianapolis Sentinel.

Every farmer knows the folly of robbing his lands of virture and strength without restoring anything, but the same man may rob his nerve system of strength and vitality for years and then wonder why disease has fastened on *him*. To all such unthinking spendthrifts of nerve force Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer comes as a friend to build up and revitalize the impoverished nerves and restore health. Abundant nerve force insures perfect physical and mental health and Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer strengthens and makes nerve force. Sold by Edman & Stout, Lima.

IT STARTLES US.

When We Read of Some of These Wonderful Things.

Miss Bessie L. Putnam, a well known and popular young lady residing on the Lowell Road, Lawrence, Mass., has just had a very narrow escape from death.

"Two years ago," she says, "I found I was beginning to be very nervous and that the least excitement would bring on a fit of hysteria from which it took me two or three hours to recover. My nerves got in such a bad condition that some days I would cry for hours and then have a laughing spell.

"I was completely unstrung and could do nothing about our place. My stomach began to trouble me and I could not keep anything on it. From a woman weighing 162 pounds I found myself reduced to a shadow and was so feeble that I could hardly dress myself.

"I tried several physicians but they did not seem to be able to do anything to relieve me. I really thought my days were numbered and in fact made every preparation for my death, as I fully expected to die within a short time.



MISS BESSIE L. PUTNAM.

"One of our neighbors calling, wanted to know if I had ever used Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and spoke so strongly in favor of it that I thought I would try it. When I had finished the first bottle and started on the second, I felt that instead of a doomed woman I was going to be cured and enjoy life.

"My nervousness grew less and I ate without my food distressing me in the least, something I had not done for two years, and I began to gain in flesh. I took six bottles and am now a well, strong woman, and hope to live to a good old age. My faith in Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy is so strong that I gladly tell everyone what it has done for me, and I cannot too highly express my thanks for what Dr. Greene has done for me."

It is a fact that this wonderful medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, will cure when others fail; that it will save life after all hope is gone. Take it and you will regain health and vigor, for it is the medicine that cures. Dr. Greene, its discoverer, is our most successful specialist in curing all forms of nervous and chronic disease. He can be consulted at his office, 35 West 14th Street, New York, free, personally or by letter.

Grand Old Vegetarians.

Some of the grandest characters in history were vegetarians. All the Greek philosophers and Roman stoics ate green things. Milton, Newton and Carlyle lived on cereals. Tennyson, who led an ideal life, is said to have cared more for the fruit, wines and nuts served after dinner than the regular meals. The Lakeside poets were vegetarians, and history has Jesus Christ, St. Paul, Abraham, Socrates, Martin Luther, Byron, Wesley, Swedenborg and the noble race of gentle Bramins on the same list.

Madam, your attention, please. Do you expect to dye this season? We mean will you dye any stockings, carpet rags, cloaks, dresses, feathers, or anything; for if you intend to, we are anxious to have you dye with Magic Dyes. They are easy to use and we believe them superior to most other brands. Carpet weavers who have used them say they give more durable colors which don't crock or fade like others. They color cotton, wool, etc., with same package, thus doing better work on *mixed* goods. Although the packages are larger and color about double the goods, we sell them at 10 cents, same as other brands. Sold by Edman & Stout, Lima.

Prime Peach Pie.

Line a pie-tin with puff-paste, fill with pared peaches in halves or quarters, well covered with sugar; put on upper crust and bake; or make as above without the upper crust, bake until done, remove from the oven and cover with a meringue made of the whites of two eggs beaten to a stiff froth with two tablespoonfuls powdered sugar; return to oven and brown slightly. Canned peaches may be used in the same way.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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"Foley's Honey and Tar is one of the standard medicines used in the Working Women's Home Association, at 21 South Peoria street, Chicago."

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Plenty at Mayo's all the time. tf

THE SONGS THAT RILEY SINGS.

What music could be sweeter than the rhythm of the rain,
Or the oft repeated measure of the katydid's refrain,
Or the droning of the pollen laden bumblebee that wings
Through the sunny summer hazes of the songs that Riley sings?

Oh, I linger as I loiter through a little rhyme-land street
Till I know the very pattern of the shadows at my feet,
And my happy heart beats faster with the stimulant of joy
As I hear the bubbling laughter of a ragged little boy.

Oh, little boy of Riley's, with your trousers worn and old,
With your freckled face and tattered hat and sunny heart of gold,
I never knew how blue the sky, nor clover fields how sweet,
Till I followed in the pathway of your dusty little feet.

Oh, 'Ealy, little 'Ealy! I am mourning with the rest,
For I love each blade of timothy your little feet have pressed,
Oh, the sadness and the gladness and the breath of many springs
In the rhyming, chiming melodies the Hoosier poet sings!

—Lee Lloyd in Kate Field's Washington.

Time at the North Pole.

If ever the north pole is reached the adventurous spirits who get there will find that they have actually outstripped Father Time altogether. In fact, he will have given up the race entirely, for at the northern and southern extremities of the earth's axis there is no fixed time at all. At any moment it can be noon or midnight, breakfast time or supper time, worktime or playtime, whichever one likes. Clocks will be a fraud and delusion, for at the pole all degrees of longitude converge into one, and therefore all times.

The possibilities of such a position are endless. Not only, too, will the clocks be out, but the calendar as well. It can be, at will, either yesterday or today or tomorrow. We have heard a lot of foolish people ask what the use and pleasure can be of getting to the north pole, but little reflection will show us advantages can be gained there which cannot be found in any other part of the globe. There, at any rate, instead of being like the poor inhabitants of lower latitudes, the slaves of Time, we can turn the tables and be its masters.—London Globe.

A Miner's Scheme.

An Australian mining journal is responsible for the following story: A miner in that country, who was obtaining fine gold by sluicing, was asked how he saved it. He replied that he employed the common amalgamation process, but used a novel and ingenious retort for the purpose. After amalgamating with quicksilver, "I get a potato," said the miner, "cut off one end and scoop out a cavity in it large enough to take my ball of amalgam. I next take a spade or piece of flat iron and place that over the fire, and then upon that I place the potato with the cut side down. As the amalgam gets hot the 'silver' evaporates and goes all through the potato, but it can't through the skin. When it is cool I have my gold button on the spade and my 'silver' all in fine globules in the potato. I break that potato up under water, and I have all my 'silver.'"

Height of Virginia Mountains.

The height of the peaks of Otter, as determined by Professor Guyot by careful barometric measurements some years ago, is 3,888 feet for the southwest or the northeast, or "Flat Top" peak. The same authority made the Balsam mountain, in the Blue Ridge in Grayson county, 5,700 feet high, and White Top mountain, in the Grayson-Washington line, 5,500 feet high. The 1891 topographical maps of the United States geographical survey make White Top 5,678 feet high, and a point in the Grayson-Smyth line, three miles eastward of White Top, which the maps call "Mount Rogers," 5,719 feet high, making the latter the highest point that has yet been in any way determined in Virginia.—Richmond Dispatch.

Sweet Oil For Patent Leathers.

Sweet oil is the best for patent leather, and it should be applied sparingly. All of the surplus should be carefully and thoroughly wiped off, and the shoe is then to be polished with a piece of chamois. After the glaze of patent leather begins to crack and will no longer take the fine polish without which patent leather is a burden to the eye, there is no resource so effectual as varnish, but when once the application of varnish has begun it must be continued to the end. Varnish must be applied to patent leather with the tips of the fingers—nothing else will answer so well. Be sure that the shoe is perfectly free from dust or dirt of any kind.—Exchange.

At Both Ends.

Coming up town on the Broadway cable, a big Irishman arose from his seat and gave the bell strap a sharp pull. The conductor angrily exclaimed:

"Here, don't do that. You are ringing the bell at both ends of the car."

"That's all right, sor," was the reply, "an I want both inds of the car to shtop."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Richard Hennig concludes that a great flood was contemporaneous with the ice age, converting countries in milder latitudes into swamp and sea and leaving only isolated lands—Egypt, for instance—free from inundation.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no money required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Melville Bros.

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These barriers to wealth and happiness, which have hitherto been regarded as impassable, will be swept aside like chaff, and you will be accorded the palm of beauty, if you will only use that greatest of all remedies for preserving and beautifying the complexion—

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This wonderful preparation, the discovery of an eminent French chemist, is praised and recommended by the society ladies of every civilized land.

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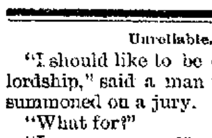
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Unreliable.

"I should like to be excused, your lordship," said a man who had been summoned on a jury.

"What for?"

"I owe a man £5, and I want to hunt him up and pay it."

"Do you mean to tell this court you would hunt up a man to pay a bill instead of waiting for him to hunt you up?"

"Yes, your lordship."

"You are excused. I don't want any man on the jury who will lie like that."—London Tit-Bits.

Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment

Is a certain cure for Chronic Sore Eyes, Granulated Eye Lids, Sore Nipples, Piles, Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum and Scald Head, 25 cents per box. For sale by druggists.

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Give the Lungs Clean Food.

Crowds are dangerous. Bad air is slow murder. All places of resort, unless well ventilated, are filled with the poison of human breaths and the noxious exhalations of the body, and no one who understands the science of health can doubt that many lives are shortened by the injurious atmosphere of fashionable assemblies, churches and theaters.

While in Chicago, Mr. Charles L. Kahler, a prominent shoe merchant of Des Moines, Iowa, had quite a serious time of it. He took such a severe cold that he could hardly talk or navigate, but the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured him of his cold so quickly that others at the hotel who had bad colds followed his example and half a dozen persons ordered it from the nearest drug store. They were profuse in their thanks to Mr. Kahler for telling them how to cure a bad cold so quickly. For sale by Melville, druggist, postoffice building.

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TALKS OF THE TOWN.

Wilbur Fisk is on the sick list.

Wm. Peppell sued Anna Peppel for divorce to-day.

R. W. Haines will remove to Cridersville in a few days.

Henry Wines has been promoted to section foreman on the C. H. & D.

Newt Harter, saloonist, assigned to Cloyd Brotherton this afternoon.

Elmer Golden has reported for duty at the Oak again, after a week's illness.

Gus Kalb, who has been confined to his bed for some time, is convalescent.

Dr. S. B. Hiner, who has been dangerously ill for the past ten days, is improving.

Miss Bertha Lockman, of Van Wert, has taken a clerkship in J. F. Renz's bakery.

Prof. W. D. Moon has returned to Lima to resume his duties as supervisor of penmanship in the Lima public schools. During his stay among us he has made many warm friends in the community.—*Van Wert Bulletin.*

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and are Going.

T. A. Oxley left this morning for Columbus.

Ed Collins, of Dayton, is the guest of friends here.

Miss Bessie Sullivan is the guest of Miss Reece, at Kenton.

Frank Duffield returned last night from a trip to Mackinac.

A. J. Morris went to Jackson Center this morning on business.

Miss Bertha Hershberg left this morning for a visit in Dayton.

Mail Carrier Simpson and family left to-day for a visit in Columbus.

Mrs. J. J. Collins, of Wapakoneta, is visiting Lima friends and relatives.

Messrs. F. A. Husted, H. L. Brice and R. O. Woods were in Toledo last evening.

Treasurer Amos Young went to Buckland this morning, to look after his oil interests.

Mrs. Emma Conrad and daughter Irene spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Leipsic.

Edgar Beal, of Feldmann's, went to Columbus Grove this morning for few days' vacation.

Miss Anna Kane, of South Manner street, is home from a visit of several weeks in St. Paris.

Misses Carrie Hoover and Katherine Reilly spent yesterday with their friends in Lafayette.

Mrs. A. Chute, of North Main street, has returned from a week's visit in Bradford, Pa.

Misses Mary Hentzy and Emma Granum left for Cridersville for a week's visit with relatives.

Miss Coda Everett left this morning for Wapakoneta, where she will make her home in the future.

Dr. Pipes, division surgeon for the P., F. W. & C., returned to Crestline to-day after a visit in the city.

Gotlelb Graw, of Auna, stopped in the city and visited friends on his return home from Bucyrus to-day.

Mrs. Kittie Crawford, of Columbus Grove, is the guest of Mrs. C. A. Fitzpatrick, of East McKibben street.

Mrs. George Yager, of Washington C. H., is the guest of her sister, Miss Ollie Johnson, of South Main street.

A. E. Clutter and son, who, after the K. P. meeting at Washington took a pleasure trip to the sea coast, are at home.

Miss Ida Freeman, of Middletown, is the guest of Mrs. Winnie Doyle and son Willie, of North Elizabeth street.

Miss Rose Leonard, of West Vine street, will leave to-morrow for Pittsburg and Altoona, Pa., to visit with friends.

Henry O'Brien, of East North street, returned last night from a visit with his son W. L. O'Brien and family in Toledo.

Mrs. L. O'Neill and daughter Esther, Mrs. Curtis and Mr. Matchet, of Lima, Spent Sunday with Delphos friends.—*Delphos Herald.*

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Campbell left last night for a trip to the east, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Florence, who will take a course of music in Boston.

Rev. A. E. Manning, a delegate from branch 64 C. M. B. A., of this city, left last night for Massillon to attend the state convention of the order now in session there.

Cashier W. H. Duffield, of the Metropolitan bank, returned to-day from a pleasure trip on the lakes. Mrs. Duffield, who accompanied him, stopped off in Toledo to visit her parents.

Mrs. John A. Ochs and son Carl returned last evening from a few days visit with Lima friends.—Miss Blanche Chesney, of Lima, is in the city the guest of N. H. Colwell and family.—*Kenton News.*

James O'Brien, of the C. & E. restaurant, returned from Lima, where he accompanied Miss Anna Herold, who was called home on account of the death of her father. The funeral was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Miss Herold has the sympathy of a wide circle of friends in this city.—*Huntington Democrat.*

Special sale of Kid Gloves at Oxley's. 4-2t

Boy's Arm Broken.

About seven o'clock this morning the ten-year-old son of George Boop, of St. Johns avenue, while climbing over a high fence near the C. & E. railroad tracks, fell, and sustained a compound fracture of the left forearm. He was taken home and Dr. Yakey was summoned and reduced the fracture.

BOTH SUCCESSFUL.

The Labor Day Balls Well Attended and Pleasant Affairs.

The Labor Day ball given in the Klaus hall last night by the Trades and Labor Council, was well attended by a very nice crowd and proved to be an enjoyable affair, lasting until an early hour this morning.

The ball given in Turner hall, on South Main street, by the colored K. of P. lodge, was attended by about one hundred couples, and was a pleasant affair. The ball consisted of sixteen well selected dances, and an elaborate banquet was served. The opera house orchestra furnished the music.

TROUBLE AT SANDUSKY.

The Citizens Will Enjoin the City from Carrying Out the Hallwood Contract.

During the past week efforts have been made to create a sentiment of opposition to the action of the City Council at its last meeting in adopting the Hallwood block as the material to be used in the paving of Columbus avenue and the letting of the contract to Ed Schneider. Mr. Schneider is ready to sign the contract and has his bondsmen ready to sign his bond when the council has the money in the treasury, before which time the contract cannot be signed.

Mr. W. E. Sefton, a representative of the Canton brick firm, which was the chief opponent of the Hallwood block, arrived in the city yesterday and was busy in his efforts to secure an injunction restraining the city from letting the contract to Schneider. A *Register* reporter saw him at the West House and Mr. Sefton, who did not care to be quoted, made the following statement:

"The citizens will enjoin the city from going forward with Mr. Schneider's contract, and Mr. Conley, the lowest bidder on the Canton material, will mandamus the council to award the contract to him."—*Sandusky Register.*

The contract was to be let to the Hallwood people at Sandusky at a much higher price than Canton block, as was the scheme here and at Kenton, Marion and several other places.

TWO WEDDINGS.

Marriage of Mr. John Mahoney and Miss Moore, and Mr. Henry Wemmer and Miss Sauter.

This morning at 7 o'clock, at St. Rose's church, Rev. L. A. Brady joined in holy wedlock Mr. John Mahoney, late of Toronto, Can., and Miss Lillian Moore, of this city. The bride, a tall and queenly blonde, was most becoming attired, and carried bride's roses. The groom wore the usual black. They were unattended. After the ceremony the bridal couple were driven to the home of his cousin, Mr. James Sawey, on North Pine street, where a bountiful wedding was served, after which they left for the home of the bride's parents, near Spencerville, where an elaborate wedding feast will be served this evening to a large number of invited guests from this city. The groom is employed as car inspector in the C., H. & D. yards, and has a home furnished for their reception on North Main street.

MR. HENRY WEMMER MARRIED.

Mr. Henry G. Wemmer, traveling salesman for, and one of the members of the firm of Henry Diesel & Co., was married at the home of his brother, Wm. Wemmer, of 682 North Elizabeth street, last evening at 4 o'clock, the bride being Miss Fredia Sauter, of Delaware, O. Rev. Baum officiated. The happy couple left over the C., H. & D. at 6:10 p. m. for a trip to Detroit and the lakes. On their return they will go to housekeeping in this city.

The Modern Beauty

Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant liquid laxative, Syrup of Figs.

I. O. O. F. Notice.

All Patriarchs of Lima Encampment No. 62, are requested to attend a special meeting in their hall on Wednesday evening, September 5th, at 7 o'clock sharp, for the purpose of conferring the G. R. and R. P. degrees. J. P. MOOR, C. P.

Funeral Director J. E. Grosjean

Is now occupying his new undertaking rooms in the Boone block, 114 West Market street, next door to the gas office. The office is open day and night and all calls will be promptly and carefully attended to. 270-tf

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Hardware and Tinware at prices to close at the Racket Store, opposite the court house. Open to 8 o'clock evening. 73-13t

Come and Get Your Last Swim

At Johnson's swimming school, which will close next Sunday. 75-5t

FRIGHTFUL PLUNGE.

John Ferrall Dreamed He was Swimming

And Dove from a Second Story Window—Seriously Hurt.

John J. Ferrall, a stone mason, employed on the government building, met with a serious accident about 1 o'clock this morning, the result of his celebrating Labor Day by indulging in too much whisky. He and several others spent yesterday in drinking, and Ferrall being unaccustomed to it, became very drunk. Late in the evening the crowd went swimming, and Ferrall proved himself an excellent swimmer and diver, notwithstanding the fact that he was drunk. He boards at Burnham's boarding house on North Main street, where he was taken by his companions about 10 o'clock last night, and made life miserable for the residents until they succeeded in getting Ferrall to his room.

It appears that as soon as Ferrall fell asleep he imagined that he was still in swimming, and getting out of bed, which was in a room on the second floor, he dove out of the window into the alley, fifteen or twenty feet below. No one knew anything of what had happened until some one on the opposite side of the alley heard his groans.

Ferrall sustained a compound fracture of his left leg, near the thigh, the bone protruding through the flesh. The nails were torn off three of the toes on his left foot. He knew nothing of his fall and asked Dr. Steiner, while dressing his wounds, if he had not made an elegant dive.

The injured man has no money nor relatives here, and will be sent to the infirmary.

IN NEW QUARTERS.

A Ticket Brokerage Office Opened in the Lima House.

G. R. Bentel, the hustling manager of the Lima Ticket Agency, has fitted up an excellent office in the Lima House. The counter and desk is of pretty design, and corresponds with the office furniture, and occupies a position on the south side of the main corridor leading to the office. Manager Bentel will continue to look after his original quarters on the public square. Mr. Bentel has built up an extensive business in the city and his new office at the Lima House is one of the neatest in the city.

NO BUSINESS

Transacted by the Council Last Evening.

The regular meeting of the city council was not held last night on account of the fact that there was not members enough present to constitute quorum, Messrs. Hughes, McVey and Standish being the only ones on hand.

The finance committee met as usual yesterday morning and went through the regular routine of examining and recommending the payment of bills, which cannot, however, be paid until the council meets and allows them. This places the city employes in an unpleasant predicament, being unable to secure their August salaries. An effort will be made to call a special meeting of the body some time during the week.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

TWO ENGINEERS LET OUT.

Passenger engineer Horace Ayers and Engineer Cornelius Dickman, both of the C. H. & D., have been relieved of their positions with that company. One day last week Ayers backed his engine through the brick wall on one side of the round house. The act was attributed to carelessness, and was assigned as the cause of his dismissal. Dickman's discharge was the result of his escapade last Monday night, which was published in these columns at the time.

DOING A GOOD BUSINESS.

James McCrea, first vice president of the Pennsylvania lines, has been looking over the company's lines in the west. As regards traffic, Mr. McCrea said the Pennsylvania is doing a good business, but he fears as to the healthy character of the boom. He fears it is simply an improvement as a result of moving delayed freight, and possibly some slight improvement in business. On the other hand he hopes that the present very satisfactory movement will continue until the corn and the live stock fall shipments set in.

NOISELESS ENGINES.

The Baltimore and Ohio is experimenting with three new ideas that promise to make locomotives both noiseless and smokeless. The steam exhausts through a group of small pipes and passes out of the stack noiselessly, not making the noisy puff locomotive now do. It is said its operations lessens the quantity of coal consumed, and a new smoke burner has been patented which promises to make locomotives smoke less. The smoke burner is the invention of the master mechanic of the road.

NOTES.

Engine 23, of the L. E. & W., is in the round house for repairs.

Local Conductor W. D. Heffner, of the C. H. & D., is taking a vacation.

Machinist C. C. Perkins, of the L. E. & W., resumed his duties this morning after a few days vacation.

Engineer Jos. Cattley and Conductor Mike Kennelly, of the P. F., have been let out on account of the recent wreck between Dunkirk and Forest.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express to friends our appreciation of the kindness and generosity shown us in our bereavement over the death of our youngest son, always gratefully remembering those who came to us in that sad hour.

Mr. and Mrs. M. MORAN.

ROUND ABOUT.

Several members of the College Hill and South Side gun clubs went to Freyburg, yesterday, to participate in a big live bird shoot which occurred there on Labor Day.

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In the cigar case at the Lima House are exhibited two genuine jumping beans, which are the product of a peculiar tree, the Carpocapsa Saltitans which grows only in one state in Mexico. These beans are triangular in shape, having two flat and one convex surface and are said to each contain a small worm. These worms have sixteen well developed feet, and live in their shells about ten months, from July or August of each year until April or May of the next. If the beans are laid on any flat surface and left quiet for a moment, they will commence to slide forward and jump up from the surface on which they are placed. What causes the beans to jump has never been definitely decided, but it is generally believed that the action is produced by the worm, and the most plausible theory advanced is that the worm fears destruction if it remains near the tree which produced it and endeavors to get away as far and as fast as possible. If a hole is made in the shell the worm will close the aperture at once with a fine silky web.

It is thought that the egg producing the worm is layed in the flower before the berry is produced and the berry is formed around the egg which later becomes the worm. These beans are certainly a great curiosity.

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The Lima postoffice clerks base ball club returned last evening from Ft. Wayne, where they defeated the Ft. Wayne clerks in an interesting game yesterday, the score standing 15 to 9. The boys say they were royally entertained during their visit.

DAN SQUARED IT.

A Woman Follows Her Husband Here From Chicago and Has Him Arrested.

A neatly dressed young woman, claiming to be Mrs. Daniel Shanahna, arrived in this city early yesterday morning from Chicago, where she claims she and her little babe were deserted by her husband, whom she came here in search of.

Shanahan has been in this city for several months and is employed as night clerk at Selber's restaurant, where he was found by the woman who claims to be his wife, and who appeared before the mayor last evening and stated that her husband refused to support either herself or the child. She had a warrant issued for his arrest on those grounds and demanded that he furnish a home for and support the babe. He was arrested by policeman Lehman and lodged in the city prison, where he remained until this morning, when he was arraigned before the mayor and compromised the matter with his wife by giving her $10 and promising to give her $2 per week in the future.

HE NEVER CAME BACK.

A Number of People Mourn the Departure of a Sleek Young Man.

A short time ago a young fellow came here and put up at the Lima House, registering as McKerran, of Detroit. He gave out that he was representing a brick concern and secured a certain amount of credit at the hotel. He was also considerable of a rounder and put in a large amount of his time about the saloons, a number of whom mourn his sudden departure. He also touched a number of persons and left the Lima House mysteriously without paying his board bill. He had some baggage which he left behind, but whether it is of any value or not is not known, as it has not been opened.

SLASHED HIM,

Then Had Him Arrested for an Assault.

Last evening a woman named Bessie Howard appeared before the mayor and swore to an affidavit charging Wm. Neville with assault.

The woman lives in a block on East Market street, where Neville and the Howard woman assaulted him. He struck her and she slashed him with a knife, cutting several ugly gashes on his face and one arm.

The case was set for a hearing at nine o'clock this morning. Neville was on hand, but the woman failed to appear against him at the appointed time and the case was dismissed. She will have the costs to pay.

Unrehearsed Stage Effect.

Aged and Venerable Retainer—Here, noble sire, is the legacy of your great ancestor. This chest has not been opened for a couple of generations!

Don Diego—Open it. (When the lid is raised, a live cat jumps on to the stage.)

Old Servant—Drat those mischievous chorus lads! — Humoristische Blatter.

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BOUND OVER.

The Three Base Ball Players Plead Not Guilty

And Are Placed Under Bond to Appear Before the Grand Jury on Charge of Sunday Ball Playing.

W. G. Smith, pastor of the Main street Presbyterian church, who caused the arrest of manager Enoch Somers of the ball team, Saturday night, as was mentioned in the TIMES-DEMOCRAT, appeared before mayor Smiley again last evening and swore out affidavits charging catcher Paul Hines and center fielder John Ferral, of the ball team, with violating the State law by playing base ball on Sunday.

The two players were summoned before the mayor last evening and arraigned on the charge. They pleaded not guilty, and their case was set, together with that of manager Somers, for a hearing at 9:30 o'clock this morning.

The defendants and prosecuting witness were on hand at the appointed hour this morning and the mayor's court room was crowded with spectators.

Somers, Hines and Ferral were asked by the court if they were ready for trial and each in turn replied that they desired to enter a plea of not guilty and be bound over to the court of common pleas.

Attorney Eastman, who represented the prosecution, requested that the defendants be bound over to the probate court, but the mayor decided that it was his duty to bind them over to the grand jury, and the duty of the prosecuting attorney to take the cases before the probate court if he so desired, consequently they were placed under bond of $100 each to appear before the court of common pleas. Alex Castle and Jake Stolzenbach were immediately secured as bondsmen, and the defendants released.

NAPOLEON'S MIRACULOUS ESCAPES.

He Seemed to Live In a Charmed Circle and Went About With No Fear.

In reply to the question in what engagements he considered himself to have been in the greatest danger of losing his life Napoleon once said, "In the commencement of my campaigns." Indeed if further proof were demanded to show that he did not spare himself at Toulon it is only necessary to add that, during the 10 weeks of its siege, Napoleon, in addition to a bayonet wound in his thigh, had three horses shot under him, while at the siege of Acre during the expedition to Egypt he lost no fewer than four in the same manner.

During the last days of his life, when captivity, disappointment and sickness had well nigh completed their work, it is said that the agony of his fatal disease drew from him on many occasions the pitiful cry of, "Why did the cannon balls spare me?"

During his long military career Napoleon fought 60 battles, while Cæsar fought but 50. In the early part of his career he was utterly reckless of danger while on the battlefield, and this spirit of fearlessness contributed largely to the love and esteem in which he was held by his armies. There was a curious belief among the English in Napoleon's time that he had never been wounded, and indeed the report was current that he carefully, if not in a cowardly manner, refrained from exposing himself. Nothing could be more contrary to the truth, for he was in reality several times severely wounded, but as he wished to impress upon his troops the belief that good fortune never deserted him, and that, like Achilles, he was well nigh invulnerable he always made a secret of his many dangers. He therefore enjoined once for all upon the part of his immediate staff the most absolute silence regarding all circumstances of this nature, for it is almost impossible to calculate the confusion and disorder which would have resulted from the slightest report or the smallest doubt relative to his existence. Upon the single thread of this man's life depended not only the fate and government of a great empire, but the whole policy and destiny of Europe as well.

Boards and Morals.

A policeman on duty in the Jefferson Market police court remarked that in the course of 18 years' service he had seen a great many men brought up on the charge of insulting women in the street or elsewhere. "They do not resemble one another much," he said, "except that in every instance they wear fall boards. I don't remember of ever seeing a clean shaven, thoroughly smart looking man at the bar on that charge. Their whiskers are never trimmed to a point either, but always grow in a straggling or careless way. I have never noted any exception to this, and, so far as my opinion goes, I think that any man who gets up in the morning, takes a bath and shaves himself with a bit of cold steel is apt to start out and be decent, whereas the whiskered man is not. I read an article by Chauncey Depew once, in which he said that the passing of the cold steel over his face in the morning always drove the fanciful ideas of the night out of his head and straightened him out for a hard and sensible day's work. I guess there is a good deal in it, though I am not able to reason these things out as Mr. Depew does. But you can go bail for one thing, and that is, whenever you read in the papers that a man has been arrested for insulting women you can picture him in your mind's eye as having a shabby set of whiskers."—New York Sun

The hapless Koreans, heaven help them, are starving while wheat has been down to 43 cents a bushel in the United States! We ought to have a relief fund for them. They would not be so poor and helpless if all the lifeblood had not been squeezed out of them in the form of taxes, first by their own government, then by China. The Christian Herald has already forwarded 1,000 barrels of flour to Korea and will ship a cargo of corn.

Inside Facts.

Mrs. Willowsnap (calling on Mrs. Wangle)—Your mother has a lot of new furniture, hasn't she, Willie?

Willie—Yes'm, and the man comes here every week to collect the bill.—New York Sun.

OIL AND GAS.

The Eastern oil market closed at 82½c.

AUGUST OIL.

Operations in the northwestern Ohio oil fields for the month of August show a decrease in completed wells, which has been attended by a decrease in new production resulting in lowering from 36 1-6 for July wells to 32½ barrels for those of August. Throughout the entire field work may be considered as about holding its own. The completed wells decreased from 291 to 127, and the new production decreased from 8,860 to 7,940 barrels, which may look a trifle discouraging, but it is attended with the encouraging symptoms that the resulting dry holes are less than the previous month, so that while the average production of new wells is less than the preceding month, there being a dozen less failures and fourteen less completed, the distribution is more even and equalized. The weight of new production is still in Wood and Sandusky counties, both of which show small declines from the preceding month, and the only locality showing an increase in this respect was Sandusky county, where a decrease in the number of wells completed, shows a larger production than the preceding month by 150 barrels daily.—*Toledo Blade.*

Male Chorus Meeting.

This evening, at 7:30, at Choral hall. Special practice. Full attendance desired.

I. E. LONGSWORTH.

A Rose In a Desert.

A quiet woman, dressed unassumingly in brown, was eating her dinner in a popular tearoom. She was a regular patron and was waited upon generally by the same girl. Today I noticed that she called the pretty little Swedish waitress to her and asked her if she intended taking a vacation. The girl said she did—next week. "Here is something to help pay your car fare," said the quiet woman in brown and slipped a bill into the hand of the waitress. I wish you could have seen the joy unutterable that flooded that girl's face when she found she held a $5 bill. She could not believe her senses. Her eyes filled with tears, and her hand shook. "Why, I never had so much money given me before! Do you suppose she meant it?" And when somebody assured her that it was no mistake the child disappeared, fairly dancing with glee. Now, that is the sort of thing I would enjoy if I were a rich woman, wouldn't you? Doing unexpected mercies and showing benefits in surprises that should take away one's breath. There are plenty of secondhand clothes and soup ticket charities. Now let us have the truer charity that comes as the lightning does out of the cloud when no man listeth!—Chicago Post.

A Turkish Illusion.

Since the veil has fallen into partial disuse the charm of the Turkish woman has also departed. Marion Crawford tells us: "The yashmak is not what it was 10 years ago and has almost ceased to hide the face at all. Strict as the sultan's ordinance is, there is not the slightest pretense of obeying it, and, in the great majority of cases, a thin white veil barely covers the forehead and is but loosely drawn under the chin.

"It must be admitted that with the disuse of that old fashioned veil a great illusion has disappeared from the streets of Constantinople. There was something very mysterious about it. Black eyes never looked so black and deep and liquid as when seen by themselves, as it were, between two broad bands of opaque white. In those days every yashmak veiled an ideal beauty, very different from the ugliness of the pale and flaccid features which its absence now generally discloses. One is inclined to doubt whether the mirror is in common use in the harem of today."

Safe.

Doctor—In order to effect a cure, you will have to undergo a surgical operation.

Patient—Is it really dangerous?

Doctor—No danger. You will recover without a doubt.

Patient.—But I have understood in an operation of that character only one recovers in every 10,000.

Doctor—I know, but 9,999 have already died. You are the ten thousandth one. You will surely recover. —Truth.

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